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In Board

4 January 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout, Pfau

VOTED that the official stamp of the Board containing facsimiles of the signatures of members of the Board be used for the year 1949 for the purpose of certifying on nomination papers and petitions the number of signatures which are the names of registered voters.

VOTED that said facsimile stamp be used in certifying the returns of any persons who are candidates for public office and also any questions that may appear upon the ballot.

VOTED that the Commissioners' individual facsimile stamps be used on applications for qualification of members of the armed forces as absentee voters and on applications for absentee ballots for those in the armed forces.

VOTED to authorize the employees of the department working under the direction of the Board to use facsimile stamps - Board or individual - for specified purposes as need may arise in connection with essential work of the department.


VOTED that the Chairman be authorized to sign all bills and payrolls for the ensuing year; that, in the absence of the Chairman, Commissioner Prout be authorized to sign all bills and payrolls; that, in the absence of both the Chairman and Commissioner Prout, Commissioner Langone be authorized to sign all bills and pay rolls; that, in the absence of the other three Commissioners, Commissioner Pfau be authorized so to sign.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,460.63*

* 43% charged to 1948 appropriation...\$1,488.07

57% " " 1949 " 1,972.56

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 January 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout, Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Payroll covering services of temporary employees of the office, in accordance with copy on file, amounting to \$560.00*

* 60% charged to 1948 appropriation.....\$336.

40% " " 1949 " 224.

ATTEST:


Secretary.

In Board

7 January 1949

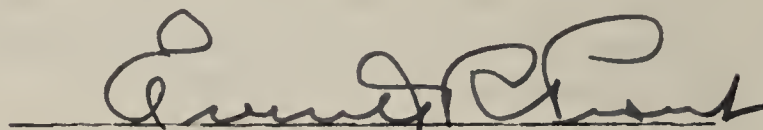
Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Bills as follows:

B I L L S (31 December 1948 Draft, Supplementary #4)\$506.50

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 January 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout, Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

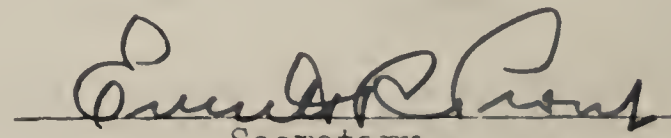
VOTED to Approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,578.30*

*\$13.42 of this amount charged to 1948 appropriation--
covering increases effective as of 31 December 1948

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$560.00

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote JOHN J. MCLAUGHLIN, Assistant Registrar at \$3000., to the position of "Assistant" (in charge of Storehouse Division) at \$3600. to fill the vacancy created by the death of Mr. Charles A. Murphy. It is understood that Mr. McLaughlin's seniority on the roster of employees of the Election Department will make him eligible for this position on a qualifying examination (declinations having been filed by five Assistant Registrars senior to Mr. McLaughlin). This promotion to become effective as of 12 January 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 January 1949


Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout, Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,604.03

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$ 553.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

25 January 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout, Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,572.96

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$ 560.00

VOTED to approve B I L L S (charged against our 1948 Unliquidated Reserve) amounting to\$ 23.79

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint (Mrs.) Mary E. Hughes of 11 Auburn Street, Boston, a provisional assistant registrar for 90 days, at a salary of \$2,300 per year, effective 26 January 1949. Mrs. Hughes is a veteran.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

(All Present)

31 January 1949

Records of meeting previous held read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,638.56

The full Board went into executive session at 11.30 A.M. to discuss the procedure to be followed on Wednesday next, which is the earliest time possible for the filing of the first petition (so-called typewritten sheet) sponsoring the different plans (A - D - and E) as set forth and described in Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948.

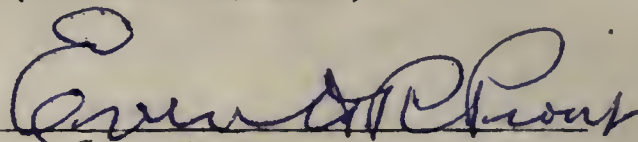
At 12 o'clock noon the Board called in Mr. Charles F. Hener, Mr. Edward P. Kennedy and Miss Margaret L. Lang, Assistant Registrars who have charge of clerical work involved in the filing of the petition.

Chairman Connors stated that inasmuch as under the General Provisions of Chapter 452 the words "Board of Election Commissioners" have the meaning "the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston", and inasmuch as the law states that such typewritten sheetbe presented to the board of election commissioners, the Board was of the belief that they should accept said petitions when presented for filing. *

Meeting adjourned at 12.30 P.M.

Attest:

* It was further stated by Chairman Connors that each Commissioner would sign his name to the certification of the first petition (so-called typewritten sheet), and that facsimile stamp would not be used as previously voted. (see vote 4 Jan.)


Secretary.

In Board

2 February 1949

All Present (11 A.M.)

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Chairman opened the meeting and stated as follows:

The Board has before them four petitions duly filed in accordance with Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948. The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston and his Assistants have gone over the four petitions thoroughly and find that all four are in legal order. As the petitions were filed a time-stamp was placed upon them in the order in which they were filed with the Chairman.

The first petition was filed at 9.01 A.M. in the interest of PLAN A. For identification purposes the circulator of such petition was one, John A. Coyle of 128 Ward Street, Roxbury.

The second petition was filed at 9.04 A.M. in the interest of PLAN E. For identification purposes the circulator of such petition was one Thomas Collins of 26 High Rock Way, Allston.

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Plan A. (Original Signers)
20/10 ✓

Marguerite M. Heffernan, 72 Tennyson Street

Enrico Cappucci, 69 Faywood Avenue 1/11 ✓

Peter A. Donovan, 36 High Street 2/3 ✓

William T. Doyle, 90 Walter Street 20/1 ✓

Salvatore A. Barbera, 24 Chambers Street 3/8 ✓

Theodore A. Glynn, Jr., 9 Elton Street 13/14 ✓

William J. Galvin, 49 Monument Avenue 2/3 ✓

Thomas M. Gemelli, 36 Trapelo Street 22/9 ✓

Bernice Bradford, 25 Ridgeway Lane 3/8 ✓

Margaret J. Skerry, 204 Emerson Street 6/9 ✓

Mary E. McDonald, 41 Clive Street 19/2 ✓

A. Frank Foster, 13 Phillips Street 5/6 ✓

Joseph L. Murphy, 57 Samoset Street 10/8 ✓

Maurice H. Sullivan, 76 Antwerp Street 22/5 ✓

Frank T. Yu Goon, 214 Huntington Avenue 4/5 ✓

The third petition was filed at 9.05 A.M. in the interest of PLAN D. For identification purposes the name of Joseph L. Kaplan of 41 Esmond Street, Dorchester, is listed as one of the circulators.

The fourth petition was filed at 9.08 A.M. in the interest of PLAN E. For identification purposes the circulator of such petition was John A. Dolan of 11 Elko Street, Brighton.

Chairman Connors then stated that following the mandate of the legislature a motion would be in order to have all four petitions photostated.

Commissioner Prout moved that such petitions be photostated with two members of the Board (1 Republican and 1 Democratic) being present to witness such photostating.

Commissioner Pfau seconded the motion.

It was then decided that Chairman Connors and Commissioner Pfau be present when such photostating took place.

After the completion of such photostating, the first petition filed was given to Mr. Charles F. Hener to check thereon the number of signatures which are the names of qualified voters in the city.

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After the check/of same, Mr. Hener returned this first petition to the Board for certification of same. Each Commissioner placed his signature on such petition - and then printer's copy setting forth the names and residences of the first signers was submitted to Mr. Twomey* (such names and residences to be printed at the top of each petition in accordance with law). *(See copy attached)*

*of the City of Boston Printing Department

In Board

(All Present)

31 January 1949

Records of meeting previous held read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, in accordance with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,638.56

The full Board went into executive session at 11.30 A.M. to discuss the procedure to be followed on Wednesday next, which is the earliest time possible for the filing of the first petition (so-called typewritten sheet) sponsoring the different plans (A - D - and E) as set forth and described in Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948.

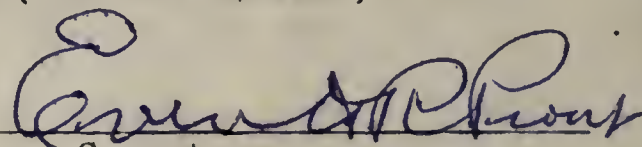
At 12 o'clock noon the Board called in Mr. Charles F. Hener, Mr. Edward P. Kennedy and Miss Margaret L. Lang, Assistant Registrars who have charge of clerical work involved in the filing of the petition.

Chairman Connors stated that inasmuch as under the General Provisions of Chapter 452 the words "Board of Election Commissioners" have the meaning "the board of election commissioners of the city of Boston", and inasmuch as the law states that such typewritten sheetbe presented to the board of election commissioners, the Board was of the belief that they should accept said petitions when presented for filing. *

Meeting adjourned at 12.30 P.M.

Attest:

* It was further stated by Chairman Connors that each Commissioner would sign his name to the certification of the first petition (so-called typewritten sheet), and that facsimile stamp would not be used as previously voted. (see vote 4 Jan.)


Secretary.

In Board

2 February 1949

All Present (11 A.M.)

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Chairman opened the meeting and stated as follows:

The Board has before them four petitions duly filed in accordance with Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948. The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston and his Assistants have gone over the four petitions thoroughly and find that all four are in legal order. As the petitions were filed a time-stamp was placed upon them in the order in which they were filed with the Chairman.

The first petition was filed at 9.01 A.M. in the interest of PLAN A. For identification purposes the circulator of such petition was one, John A. Coyle of 128 Ward Street, Roxbury.

The second petition was filed at 9.04 A.M. in the interest of PLAN E. For identification purposes the circulator of such petition was one Thomas Collins of 26 High Rock Way, Allston.

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In Board

3 February 1949

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, in accordance
with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$532.00

VOTED to approve supplement to this weekly pay roll of temporary
employees to cover salary of Mary E. Hughes, appointment
effective 26 January 1949, amounting to 44.11

In Board

3 February 1949

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, in accordance
with copy on file in this office, amounting to\$532.00

VOTED to approve supplement to this weekly pay roll of temporary
employees to cover salary of Mary E. Hughes, appointment
effective 26 January 1949, amounting to 44.11

Meeting held at 4 P.M. this day. (All Commissioners Present)

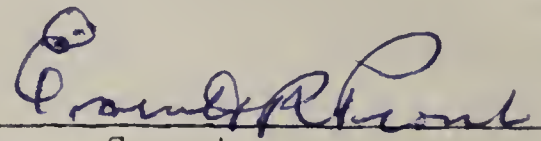
At this time certification of the three remaining petitions (so-called typewritten sheet) filed in the interest of PLANS E - D - and E took place. The list of the original signers on each plan so certified was then forwarded to the Printing Department to be printed on blanks to be provided in accordance with law. *(See Printer's copy attached below.)*

Chairman Connors release to the press was as follows:

"This certification is in compliance with law which requires that such certification shall take place within forty-eight hours after the presentation of said typewritten sheet."

"No further comment will be made at this time as the Board feels it would be improper pending the court hearing on Friday."

Attest:


Secretary.

PLAN E

	<u>Ward</u>	<u>Precinct</u>
Evelyn M. Burns, 28 Ripley Road	14	7 ✓
Mary Devin, 8 Clover Street	16	13 ✓
Edith M. Walsh, 378 Neponset Avenue	16	13 ✓
James E. Devin, 8 Clover Street	16	13 ✓
John A. Whippen, 11 Clover Street	16	13 ✓
Mary Whippen, 11 Clover Street	16	13 ✓
Peter J. McDonough, 3 Rowe Street	16	15 ✓
Edward J. Burns, 28 Ripley Road	14	7 ✓
Thomas A. Collins, 26 High Rock Way	21	9 ✓
Eleanore C. Crocker, 26 High Rock Way	21	9 ✓
Frances Owens, 22 High Rock Way	21	9 ✓
James Wells, 18 Royal Street	22	3 ✓
Sarah A. Spellman, 30 High Rock Way	21	9 ✓
Joseph Spellman, 30 High Rock Way	21	9 ✓

In Board

8 February 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau.

(Unable to read records of previous meeting as record book is now impounded by order of Court--Supreme Judicial)

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,615.54

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 569.11

VOTED to approve February Draft of B I L L S amounting to 319.57

VOTED to summons prospective jurors and examine them in this office during the hours from 9 A.M. to 7 P.M. in the following wards on the dates set forth below:

Wards 3 - 7	.....on February 28th
4 - 5	....." March 2
6 - 12	....." " 4
13 - 22	....." " 7
8 - 18	....." " 9
9 - 20	....." " 11
10 - 19	....." " 14
11 - 17	....." " 16
14	....." " 18
15 - 16	....." " 21
1 - 2	....." " 23
21	....." " 25

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 February 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors and Prout

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

At 9 A.M. this day the proponents of PLAN A form of municipal government offered for filing their original petition (so-called typewritten sheet), together with 1903 separate sheets (so-called printed sheets) deemed to constitute their petition for the placing of the following question on the ballot at the City Election to be held on 8 November 1949:

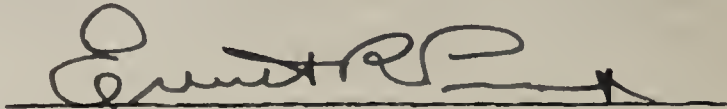
"Shall the City of Boston adopt the form of government defined as Plan A under the provisions of an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and forty-eight, and consisting of a mayor, a city council of nine members elected at large, and a school committee of five members elected at large, with all candidates therefor being nominated by preliminary elections?"

(over)

	<u>Ward</u>	<u>Precinct</u>
Joseph L. Kaplan, 41 Esmond Street	14	10 ✓
Nathan Karesky, 43 Nightingale Street	14	8 ✓
Michael D. Harrington, 546 East Fifth Street	6	10 ✓
William A. Harris, 18 Nelson Street	17	14 ✓
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX, XXIXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	X	IXX
Lawrence McCabe, 687 East Sixth Street	6	11 ✓
Margaret R. Clasby, 10 Edwin Street	16	7 ✓
Dennis Ganey, 258 Warren Street	12	4 ✓
Marie A. Cantin, 467 Columbia Road	15	2 ✓
John J. Cashman, 5 Gene Street	7	15 ✓
Myra M. Cashman, 5 Gene Street	7	15 ✓
Anna R. Whitehouse, 9 Cawfield Street	7	16 ✓
Mary H. Czajewski, 9 Cawfield Street	7	16 ✓
Kathleen H. Walsh, 5 Gene Street	7	15 ✓

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in this office, amounting to\$3,559.92

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

16 February 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.


VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in this office, amounting to\$569.11

VOTED to accept proposals for use of lots of land as sites for locations for
voting booths for the coming year as on file in this office.

VOTED to accept Annual Report of department as on file in this office and to
have the following edition printed:

200 cloth bound reports
500 paper bound reports

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

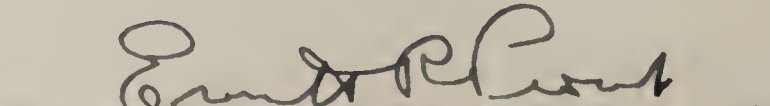
17 February 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in the office, amounting to \$3,508.14

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

23 February 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

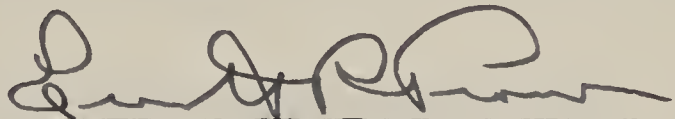
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file in the office, amounting to569.11

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office at the salary rate of \$7.00 the day, for a three-month period:

	<u>Date Effective</u>
Arthur J. Flood, 3 Perkins Sq., J. P.	March 9, 1949
Ernest R. Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., W. Rox.	" 15, "
Thomas J. Cleary, 5 Eunice St., Dor.	" " "
Charles P. Newton, 36 Gloucester St., Boston	" " "
Joseph W. Blake, 255 Main St., Charlestown	" " "
James L. Donovan, 99 Green St., Boston	" 18, "
Thomas H. Gilmore, 68 Pinckney St., Boston	" " "
William A. Hagerty, 30 Newport St., Dorchester	" " "
Alfred J. O'Donnell, 31 Lindsey St., Dorchester	" " "
Robert N. Johnson, 42 West Eagle St., E. B.	" 21, "
Bartholomew F. Connors, 72 Ashford St., Allston	" 21, "
Robert D. McElaney, 53 Greateon Road, W. Rox.	" 28, "
Herbert J. Donovan, 80 Granger St., Dor.	" " "
Daniel F. Greene, 1046 Adams St., Dor.	" 29, "

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

1 March 1949

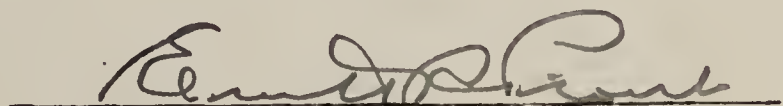
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in the office, amounting to\$3,477.07

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in the office, amounting to 551.61

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

8 March 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

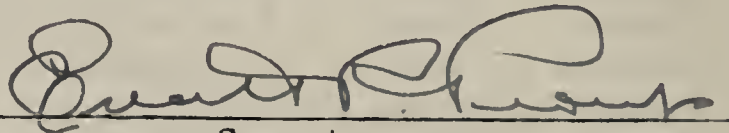
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in the office, amounting to ... \$3,499.32

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in the office, amounting to ... 548.11

VOTED to approve March Draft of B I L L S amounting to ... 608.30

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

10 March 1949

All Present.

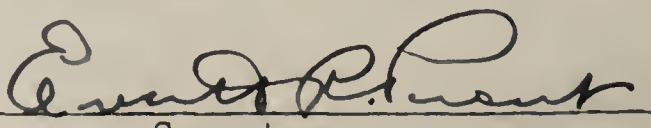
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Board at meeting this day began the examination of the individual sheets (deemed to constitute the PLAN A Petition), this being the first step toward certification of same. Each sheet was examined individually and the number of names checked by our Assistant Registrars as being registered voters was verified in the official ledger by entry.

Mr. William S. Cummings, Assistant Registrar in the department, was assigned to assist the Board by examining the jurat on each paper, to verify that all signatures checked on each paper as registered voters had been certified to by the circulator.

Inasmuch as the examination was not completed this day, the Board voted to meet on Monday, 14 March 1949, at 4 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 March 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy
on file in the office, amounting to\$3,563.76

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy
on file in the office, amounting to 569.11

Meeting of Board called for 4 P.M. this day has been postponed to
Tuesday, 15 March 1949, at 4 P.M. (See vote of Board - 3/10/49)

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 March 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

Meeting of the Board held this day at 4 P.M. Chairman Connors stated that
the petition for Plan A was before the Board for certification, that it
was in legal order, and that it contained the required number of signatures
in accordance with law.

(As provided in Section 3, Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948, such
petition must be signed by qualified voters of the City to a
number equal at least to 10% of the registered voters at the
state election next preceding the filing of the petition--such
total registration being 410,646, thus 41,065 are the number
of signatures required)

On motion made by Commissioner Prout and seconded by Commissioner Pfau
it was VOTED that the certification of the petition filed in behalf of
the PLAN A form of municipal government be declared completed.

It was further voted to attach certificate to the petition, to be signed
by the members of the Board, and to read as follows:

"We hereby certify that we have examined the attached PLAN A
petition (in which the original typewritten sheet is signed
by Marguerite M. Heffernan, Enrico Cappucci, Peter A. Donovan,
William T. Doyle, Salvatore A. Barbera, Theodore A. Glynn, Jr.,
William J. Galvin, Thomas M. Gemelli, Bernice Bradford,
Margaret J. Skerry, Mary E. McDonald, A. Frank Foster,
Joseph L. Murphy, Maurice H. Sullivan, Frank T. YuGoon) and
find that it contains the signatures of 47,477 registered voters
in the City of Boston qualified to sign this petition."

At 4.33 P.M. a PROTEST of the Plan A Petition Papers was filed at this office by Thomas A. Collins, Attorney, of 26 High Rock Way, Boston. (See copy attached)

Upon receipt of the above protest filed in behalf of the BOSTON COMMITTEE for PLAN E, the Board reassembled at 4.45 P.M.

Chairman Connors called the meeting to order and read the contents of the protest filed by one, Thomas A. Collins of 26 High Rock Way, Boston, a registered voter in the City of Boston. (21/9)

Commissioner Prout moved in accordance with the provisions of Section 4, Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948, to refer the matter to the State Ballot Law Commission and to transmit all papers required by law to them. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Pfau.

It was then unanimously voted in accordance with the motion made to transmit the petition in its entirety to the State Ballot Law Commission.

Attest:



Secretary.

BOSTON COMMITTEE for PLAN "E"

6 Beacon Street, Boston

March 15, 1949.

Board of Election Commissioners
City Hall Annex
Boston, Mass.

Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of Chapter 452, Section 4 of the acts of 1948, I hereby appeal the petition filed by the Plan A. Group which your board has certified, concerning the referendum to be submitted to the voters of the City of Boston in the municipal election to be held this fall.

I am protesting these Plan A Petition Papers and filing this appeal personally also in behalf of the members of the BOSTON COMMITTEE for PLAN E on the following grounds:-

1. I appeal the certification findings as to the validity and sufficiency of the petition.
2. Further, because the signatures of large numbers of the purported circulators are illegal,
3. Further, that the petition contains insufficient signatures and illegal signatures.
4. Further, that there are numerous other irregularities contained in said petition papers which are of such a nature as to invalidate said petition ab initio.

I therefore submit this appeal and respectfully request a hearing before the state ballot law commission in order that I may prove the illegality and insufficiency of the petition submitted by the PLAN A Group.

Very truly yours,

BOSTON COMMITTEE FOR PLAN E

By: /S/ Thomas A. Collins, Attorney

26 High Rock Way, Boston

Filed at office of Board of
Election Commissioners - 3/15/49
at 4.33 P.M.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Board of Election Commissioners

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO STATE BALLOT LAW COMMISSION

PURSUANT TO SEC. 4 of St. 1948, C. 452

To the Election Commissioners of the City of Boston:

The undersigned, David D. Scannell, Jr., being a duly registered voter of the City of Boston, residing at 522 Park Drive, Ward 21, hereby files notice of appeal to the State Ballot Law Commission pursuant to Sec. 4 of St. 1948, C. 452, as to the validity and sufficiency of a petition, and of the signatures thereon, filed with your Board on or about February 14, 1949, seeking a submission to the voters of said city the question of the adoption of the "Plan A" form of government, which petition was certified by your Board on or about March 15, 1949, all purportedly in accordance with St. 1948, C. 452, and alleges that said petition is insufficient and invalid and wholly void because:

1. Whereas the clear import of St. 1948, C. 452, was that all blanks applied for by preliminary petition at or about the same time would be issued at or about the same time, the Board of Election Commissioners, arbitrarily and in disregard of the clear import of said statute and with the motive of favoring the proponents of Plan A. caused the Plan A blanks to be printed ahead of all other blanks and delivered the Plan A blanks to the applicants therefor ahead of all other blanks, with the result that the Plan A blanks have been issued in violation of St. 1948, C. 452, and are therefore void.

2. The entire process under which said plan A blanks were issued and signatures obtained thereon is void because it was entered into and proceeded with without a vote or votes of the Board of Election Commissioners as required by law.

3. The said Board of Election Commissioners, acting in bad faith and with the design and purpose of preferring the proponents of the Plan A

petition to all other applicants for charter change blanks, in conspiracy and concert with others, made arrangements for the printing of the Plan A blanks in advance of all other blanks and even in advance of the actual filing of an application for a Plan A charter change, unreasonably delayed the certification of the signatures of preliminary petitioners upon other petitions, failed to use available facilities to receive the preliminary petitions of, or available equipment for printing blanks for, other charter petitioners, and in many and divers other ways manifested a clear intent to deprive the petitioners for the other forms of charter of the equal opportunity to circulate blanks, which is the clear import of St. 1948, C. 452.

4. The signatures thereof were not identified and certified by said Board in compliance with law.

5. The signatures of the purported circulators of said petition are illegal and the individual sheets comprising said petition have not been properly certified on the reverse side thereof by said purported circulators.

6. The oaths required by St. 1948, C. 452, on the typewritten sheet and blanks were not made by the circulators of the same.

7. The signatures appearing thereon have been forged or placed by fraud and that is consequence thereof the Petition has not been signed by a sufficient number of qualified voters actually supporting such petition as is required by St. 1948, C. 452.

8. The signatures of said petition are insufficient in number and illegal.

9. Said petition was transmitted by said Board to the State Ballot Law Commission in violation of law and without permitting inspection thereof by citizens of the city for the purpose of filing protests as to the sufficiency and validity thereof.

10. Numerous other irregularities and improprieties appear in said petition, or occurred in connection with proceedings relating thereto, such as to render the same insufficient and invalid.

WHEREFORE: The undersigned hereby files this notice of appeal pursuant to St. 1948, C. 452, Sec. 4, and requests that this appeal be transmitted to the State Ballot Law Commission and that a hearing be held by said commission at which the undersigned shall be afforded opportunity to establish the foregoing allegations.

Respectfully submitted,

/S/ David D. Scannell, Jr.

Boston, Mass.
March 18, 1949

Received at office of Election Department
March 18, 1949 - at 3.35 P.M.



In Board

18 March 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

At 3.35 P.M. this day a PROTEST of the Plan A Petition Papers was filed at this office by David D. Scannell, Jr., of 522 Park Drive, a registered voter in Ward 21. (See copy of protest attached)

Upon receipt of said PROTEST Chairman Connors called a meeting of the Board for Monday, 21 March, at 11 A.M.

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

21 March 1949

All Present.

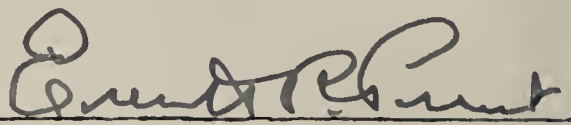
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

Chairman Connors called the meeting to order and read the contents of the protest filed by David D. Scannell, Jr., a registered voter, residing at 522 Park Drive, Ward 21, of the PLAN A PETITION PAPERS. (See copy of protest attached to record of Board 3/18/49)

Commissioner Prout moved in accordance with the provisions of Section 4, Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948, to refer the matter to the State Ballot Law Commission, and to transmit the appeal to them immediately. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Pfau.

It was then unanimously voted in accordance with the motion made to transmit the appeal to the State Ballot Law Commission.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

23 March 1949

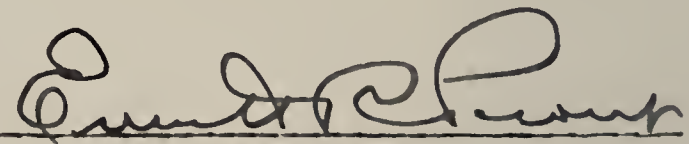
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy
on file in office, amounting to\$3,542.28

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy
on file in office, amounting to 569.11

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 March 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

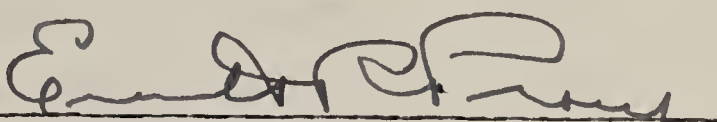
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,563.76

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 569.11

Asst. Registrar,

VOTED to extend the leave of absence without pay of Joseph A. Dalton, / for a period of six months effective 1 April 1949. Mr. Dalton is now employed in a temporary capacity by the Public Buildings Department.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

6 April 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,563.76

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 569.11

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employees who worked in excess of their regular hours during period in which examination of prospective jurors was being held (see copy on file in office, amounting to 466.28

VOTED, as of 5 April 1949, to take the following action in relation to the personnel of the department, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor:


For reasons of health and at the recommendation of her physician, to grant a six-months' leave of absence, without pay, to Miss Anna G. Bonner, Assistant Registrar in the department. The Board being of the belief that her excellent service merits this consideration--said leave of absence to become effective on 13 April 1949.

To extend the employment of MARY E. HUGHES, Provisional Assistant Registrar in the department, for a period of three months, effective 26 April 1949, at the salary rate of \$2300. per year.

(over)

To extend the employment of JOHN A. MAYR, permanent assistant registrar in the department, as a temporary voting machine custodian, for a period of three months, effective 17 April 1949, at the salary rate of \$3500. per year.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 April 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,542.66

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 558.61

VOTED to approve APRIL DRAFT of B I L L S, amounting to 333.88

VOTED to take the following action in relation to the personnel of the department, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor:


To grant a six-months' extension of the leave of absence without pay of ENRICO CAMERLENGO, Assistant Registrar in the department, effective 1 May 1949. Mr. Camerlengo is still working for the federal government on a temporary basis.

To grant sliding scale increases to the following employees of this department, effective on the dates set forth below:

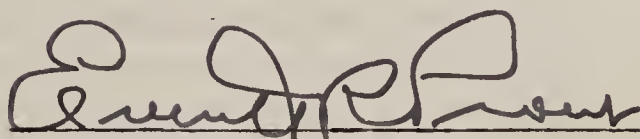
	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Date</u>
Ella J. Walsh	\$2500.	\$2600.	Jan. 1, 1949
H. Frederick Elliott	2800.	2900.	Apr. 21, 1949
William U. Kane	2800.	2900.	June 21, 1949
Kathleen E. O'Malley	2400.	2500.	July 14, 1949
Zita E. Fleming	2800.	2900.	July 17, 1949
Patrick J. Collins	2700.	2900.	July 26, 1949
William H. O'Brien	2800.	2900.	Oct. 24, 1949

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint JOSEPH F. BRICKLEY of 101 Baldwin Street, Charlestown, as an Assistant Registrar of Voters at the salary rate of \$7.00 the day, for a ninety-day period, effective 20 April 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.


Attest:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. J. Brown", written over a horizontal line.

Secretary.

To extend the employment of JOHN A. MAYR, permanent assistant registrar in the department, as a temporary voting machine custodian, for a period of three months, effective 17 April 1949, at the salary rate of \$3500. per year.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 April 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,542.66

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 558.61

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Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 April 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

At 12.50 P.M. this day the findings of the State Ballot Law Commission relative to the validity and sufficiency of the PLAN A Petition was handed in writing (see attachment below) to Chairman Connors of the Election Commission by the three members of the State Ballot Law Commission, all being present.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Boston, April 14, 1949

To the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston:

The State Ballot Law Commission having considered the appeals to the Plan A Petition (City of Boston), under the provisions of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948, together with all other questions arising in relation thereto, hereby finds that the said Petition "A" is valid and sufficient, and contains a sufficient number of qualified voters.

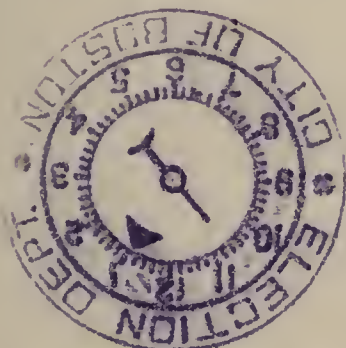
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In Board

20 April 1949

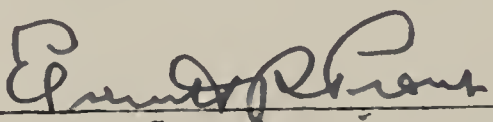
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,508.14

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 569.11

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

26 April 1949

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,445.61

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 604.11

VOTED to approve Retroactive Pay Roll covering sliding-scale increase
for Ella J. Walsh, Provisional Assistant Registrar, covering period
from 1 January 1949 to 19 April 1949, inclusive, amounting to ... 29.57

The following communication was received by the Chairman under date
of 18 April 1949 from the City of Boston Retirement Board:

"Dear Sir:

"The Medical Board of the Boston Retirement System having approved
"the application of Robert C. Wilson, employed as Assistant
"Registrar of Voters, Election Department, under the provisions of
"Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act), the
"Boston Retirement Board, at a hearing held today, has voted to
"retire him on account of accidental disability, effective at the
"close of business, April 30, 1949.

Very truly yours,

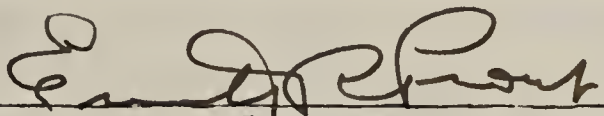
/S/ W. D. Kenney,
Secretary and Executive Officer

(see next page)

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of AGNES DINSMORE of 66 Medford St., Charlestown, Provisional Assistant Registrar in the office, for a period of three months, effective 3 May 1949, at the rate of \$7.00 the day.

Mr. Robert D. McEleney, Provisional Assistant Registrar in the office, resigned as of the close of business 26 April 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

4 May 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

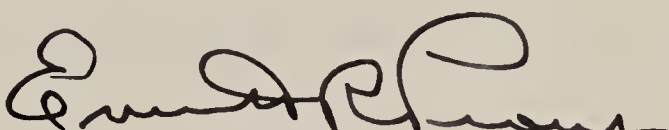
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,432.57

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 569.11

Word was received in the office of the death on Saturday, 30 April 1949, of THOMAS F. BIRMINGHAM, Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar. VOTED under provisions of Chapter 330 of the Acts of 1948 to make payment of ten days salary to beneficiary of said Thomas F. Birmingham, this being in lieu of vacation due him.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to increase the salary of WILLIAM S. CUMMINGS, Assistant Registrar, from \$2900. to \$3100., effective 4 May 1949--the Board being of the opinion that Mr. Cummings' excellent service merits this increase in salary.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 May 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,380.01

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 555.11

VOTED to approve May Draft of B I L L S amounting to\$2,475.18


(over)

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named Assistant Registrars for a period of three months, at an annual salary of \$2700. The effective date of each extension is set forth against the name.

John L. Donovan, 3 Adams St., Charlestown 23 May
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Roslindale.... 24 May
Charles D. Spellman, 163 Calumet St., Roxbury 25 May
John J. O'Connor, 25 Horan Way, Roxbury 25 May

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint WILLIAM P. McDERMOTT an Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of three months, effective 16 May 1949, at the salary rate of \$2300. per year.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 May 1949


Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,321.33

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 569.11

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

25 May 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,398.43

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 630.86

VOTED to grant vacations to employes of the department in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
Babilis	Collins
Barry	Cronin, F.
Burke	" T.
Corbett	Doyle
Cummings	Elliott
Kane	Fein
Ledwick	Flavin
MacRitchie	Fraser
Marden	Fleming
Meyer	Kosky
Murray	Lang, J.
Murphy, A. J.	McLaughlin
O'Malley	Mulvey
Walsh, W.	Nichols
White	Sullivan (June)
Willet	Drew (September)

*Murphy, W. J.

*Richards

*Hener - Kenney

*Lynch

*Time to be set at later date

*Kennedy

*Lang, M.

*Leone

Temporary Employees

July 4 to July 18

Camerlengo, Connors, Hagerty, Hughes, O'Connor, Spellman

July 18 to August 1

Donovan, (J.), Flood, Gilmore, Greene, Newton

August 1 to August 15

Cleary, Dinsmore, Donovan (H), Donovan (John), Walsh (Ella)

August 15 to August 29

Blake, Brickley, Coleman, Johnson, O'Donnell

Attest:



Secretary

In Board

1 June 1949

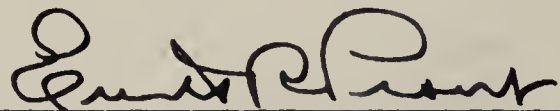
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,387.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 613.22

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

8 June 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,345.88

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 560.72

VOTED to approve June Draft of B I L L S amounting to 740.74

VOTED to approve payment for lots of land on which voting booths
are located--rental to cover from 1 January to 30 June, inclusive,
amounting to 242.50

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor to appoint ROBERT F.
HARWOOD an Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of three months,
effective 8 June 1949, at the salary rate of \$7.00 per day.

VOTED to reinstate ENRICO CAMERLENGO who has been on leave of absence without
pay, as he has been working for the federal government on a temporary basis.
Such reinstatement is to take effect on 13 June 1949, at the salary rate of
\$2900. per year. His rating is that of Assistant Registrar.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 June 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors and Prout

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,382.13

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 641.22

VOTED to take the following action in relation to the personnel of the department, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor:

To promote JOSEPH J. BURKE, Assistant Registrar at \$3300. to the position of "Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar" (in charge of the Jury Division) at a salary of \$3600., to fill the vacancy created by the death of Mr. Thomas F. Birmingham. It is understood that Mr. Burke's seniority on the roster of employees of the Election Department will make him eligible for this position on a qualifying examination (declinations having been filed by two Assistant Registrars senior to Mr. Burke). This promotion is to become effective as of 22 June 1949.

To increase the salary of RALPH C. RICHARDS, Assistant Registrar assigned to the Jury Division, from \$2900. to \$3100., to adjust an inequality in his salary which has existed for some time--his present salary not being commensurate with the work performed by him. Such increase to become effective on 22 June 1949.

To extend the temporary promotion of John J. Reilly as a Voting Machine Custodian at a salary of \$3800. for a further period of six months, effective 21 June 1949.

To extend the temporary promotion of George R. Nichols as a Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar at an annual salary of \$3600. for a further period of six months, effective 18 June 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

22 June 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.


VOTED, in accordance with instructions from His Honor the Mayor, to grant increases of \$300. annually to all permanent and temporary employees of this department, effective 29 June 1949.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,465.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 648.22

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ELLA J. WALSH, Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department, for a six-month period, effective 1 July 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 June 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

At 9.25 A.M. this day Mr. Francis X. Ahearn of 16 Gerald Road, Brighton, presented a petition to Mr. Edward P. Kennedy, Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar, prepared and offered for filing pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948. This petition consists of a typewritten sheet and of printed sheets in the form required by said act, printed sheets being numbered consecutively from 1 - 2451, inclusive, and requests that the following question be submitted to a vote of the voters of the City of Boston for the adoption of the Plan E form of government:

"Shall the City of Boston adopt the form of government defined as Plan E under the provisions of an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and forty-eight, and consisting of a city council of nine members elected at large, including a mayor elected by and from its members, a city manager appointed by it, and a school committee of five members elected at large, with all said elective officers being elected by proportional representation."

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

29 June 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to have the Jury List, as duly prepared in accordance with law and on file in this office, delivered to the persons set forth below:

- 1.....Mayor
- 2.....City Clerk
- 1.....Clerk, Suffolk Superior Civil Court
- 14.....Asst. Clerks, Superior Civil Court
- 1.....Clerk, Superior Criminal Court
- 2.....Asst. Clerks, Superior Criminal Court
- 1.....District Attorney
- 1.....Clerk, U. S. District Court
- 2.....Clerk to Chief Justice, Superior Court
- 1.....Clerk of Committees

The jury lists, designated above, were delivered by hand by Mr. Edward P. Kennedy, Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar in this department, on Tuesday, 28 June 1949, and by Mr. Robert F. Harwood, Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department, on Wednesday, 29 June 1949.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,444.07

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 648.22

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

1 July 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

The petition of David D. Scannell, Jr., vs. State Ballot Law Commission to quash the decision of said State Ballot Law Commission "that a certain petition seeking to have submitted to the voters of Boston at the next municipal election the question whether the Plan A form of government as described in St. 1948, c. 452, should be adopted, was a valid and sufficient petition" - was dismissed under date of 29 June 1949 - after being heard by the full court (Supreme Judicial). See opinion written by Justice Ronan on file in office.

In view of the above opinion, at the next municipal election, the question "Shall the City of Boston adopt the form of government defined as Plan A"

and described in St. 1948, c. 452, shall be printed on the ballot and voted on at said City Election.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 July 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,747.77

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 751.72

VOTED to approve July Draft of B I L L S amounting to 29.11

VOTED, in accordance with instructions from the Budget Commissioner, to submit an amended authorization for departmental step rate increases due after June 29 so that the new base salary of the employees affected may be recorded.

VOTED to take the following action in relation to the personnel of the department, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor:

To extend the temporary promotion of JOHN A.MAYR as a Voting Machine Custodian at a salary of \$3800. for a further period of six months, effective 17 July 1949.

To extend the temporary appointment of MARY E. HUGHES as an Assistant Registrar at a salary of \$2600., for a further period of three months, effective 26 July 1949.

To extend the temporary appointment of JOSEPH F. BRICKLEY as an Assistant Registrar at a salary of \$40.75 the week, for a further period of three months, effective 20 July 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

12 July 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau


Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,882.03

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 692.85

Mr. Herbert J. Donovan, Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department,
resigned on 8 July 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

19 July 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

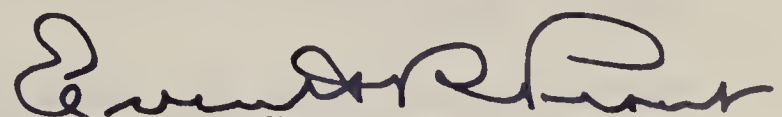
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,677.20

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 691.03

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint
Mr. Daniel Fitzgerald a Provisional Assistant Registrar in this
department for a period of three months, effective 27 July 1949,
at the salary rate of \$40.75 the week.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

26 July 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors and Prout

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,780.32

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 702.82

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

2 August 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,450.52


VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 686.52

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint JOHN J. WHITE of 123 Wolcott Road, Hyde Park, as an "Electrician" at a salary rate of \$3300. the year, such appointment to become effective on 3 August 1949. Mr. White is a licensed electrician. As no temporary wiring is permitted in school buildings under our fire laws, Mr. White is to install new circuits and outlets (permanent wiring) in precincts throughout the city where voting machines have been installed.

The Board under this date has notified the Civil Service Commission of the change of name by marriage of Josephine M. Murphy, Assistant Registrar - now Josephine M. Haid - married on 25 June 1949.

The Board has voted, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of AGNES DINSMORE of 66 Medford Street, Charlestown, provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 3 August 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 the week.

Attest:


Secretary.

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to distribute Shoup Voting Machines at the City Election to be held on 8 November 1949 in accordance with the following schedule:

Ward 5

Precinct 2.....	10 machines	
" 4.....	1	" (4 additional machines by vote of 16 Sept. 1946)
" 5.....	5	"
" 7.....	6	"
" 12.....	6	"
" 14.....	6	"
" 15.....	6	"

Ward 6

Precinct 1.....	5	"
" 2.....	4	"
" 5.....	4	"
" 10.....	5	"

Ward 7

Precinct 2.....	5	"
" 10.....	6	"

Ward 8

Precinct 2.....	5	"
" 10.....	5	"
" 12.....	5	"

Ward 9

Precinct 1.. ..	6	"
Precinct 7.....	6	"
" 15.....	5	"

Ward 10

Precinct 3.....	4	"
" 8.....	6	"
" 10.....	4	"

Ward 11

Precincts 3 & 4	5	" each
Precinct 7.....	7	"
" 11.....	7	"

Ward 12

Precinct 3.....	5	"
" 10.....	6	"
" 17.....	5	"
" 4, 5, and 6	6	" each

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Ward 13

Prec. 15.....5 machines
 " 16.....5 "

Ward 14

Prec. 5.....7 "
 " 8.....7 "
 " 19.....7 "
 " 1 & 13 ...7 " each

Ward 15

Prec. 1.....6 "
 " 10.....6 "
 " 127 "

Ward 16

Prec. 10.....5 "
 " 12.....6 "
 " 13.....6 "
 " 45 "

Ward 17

Prec. 14.....6 "
 " 15.....6 "
 " 17.....5 "
 " 18.....5 "
 " 87 "

Ward 18

Prec. 6.....7 "
 " 9.....8 "
 " 14.....6 "
 " 16.....6 "

Ward 19

Prec. 3.....7 machines
 " 127 "
 " 17.....7 "

Ward 20

Prec. 5.....6 "
 " 9.....6 "
 " 13.....6 "
 " 17.....7 "
 " 18.....6 "
 " 19.....7 "

Ward 21

Prec. 1.....8 "
 " 14.....8 "
 " 15.....8 "

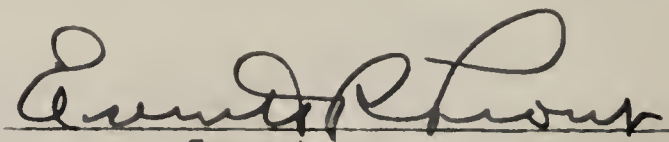
Ward 22

Prec. 11.....7 "
 " 14.....7 "
 " 16.....7 "

This is a total of 70 additional precincts to be equipped with Shoup Voting Machines - thus making a total of 112 mechanized precincts for the City Election to be held on Tuesday, 8 November 1949.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to award a contract, without public advertisement, to Rafferty Brothers, 77A Linden Street of Allston, Mass., for the transportation within the city of 219 city-owned Shoup Voting Machines, at a total cost of \$3,285.00.

Attest:


 Secretary.

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,235.17*

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 839.46

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of WILLIAM P. McDERMOTT of 12 Neponset Avenue, Hyde Park, provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 16 August 1949, at the salary rate of \$2,600. the year.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint RICHARD J. BURKE of 107 Sydney Street, Dorchester, as an Emergency Assistant Registrar, for a period of thirty working days, effective 10 August 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint FREDERICK D. TUCKER of 72 Rockland Street, West Roxbury, as a Provisional Assistant Registrar of Voters, effective 10 August 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

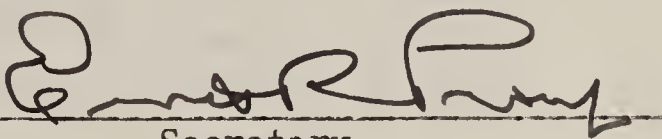
VOTED, in compliance with the provisions of law, to appoint Election Officers in accordance with list on file in this office to serve from 1 September 1949 to 1 September 1950.

exception Ward 3 - such ward having three places,

VOTED to establish two Ward Registration Offices in each ward of the city, / in accordance with list on file in this office. Sessions of registration are to be held in such offices from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. from 5 October to 19 October, inclusive. (No registration on Saturdays, Sundays, or the holiday) During this period the Central Office will be open for the registration of voters daily, Monday through Friday, from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.

VOTED to approve August Draft of B I L L S amounting to\$81.39

Attest:


Secretary.

per annum

* This pay roll includes \$500. increase/for each of
4 Commissioners, effective 1 August 1949.

In Board

16 August 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$4,058.48

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 831.31

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

23 August 1949

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,651.89

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 912.81

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the
employment of the following named Assistant Registrars in this department
at an annual salary of \$3000. The effective date of each extension is
set forth against the name:

John L. Donovan, 3 Adams Street23 August
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St. ...24 August
Charles D. Spellman, 163 Calumet Street25 August
John J. O'Connor, 25 Horan Way25 August

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

30 August 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,630.79

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 888.36

(excepting voting machine precincts)

VOTED to qualify Election Officers /in accordance with the following schedule:

Monday - September 26

Faneuil Hall All Commissioners
Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

Tuesday - September 27

Municipal Building, South Boston Commissioner Connors
Wards 6 and 7

Roxbury Court House Commissioner Pfau
Wards 9, 10, 11 (Prec. 1 to 8)

Municipal Building, Columbia Road Commissioner Prout
Wards 13 and 15

Wednesday, September 28

Dorchester High School (Girls') Codman Sq. Commissioner Connors
Wards 14, 16, 17

West Roxbury Court House Commissioner Pfau
Ward 11 (Prec. 9 to 16) Wards 18 and 19

High School of Practical Arts Commissioner Prout
(Wards 8 and 12)

Thursday, September 29

Brighton Municipal Bldg., 20 Chestnut Hill Ave.. Commissioner Prout
Wards 21 and 22

Municipal Bldg., Cummins Highway Commissioner Pfau
Ward 20

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint WILLIAM A. STRATTON of 47 Hampstead Road, Jamaica Plain, as an Emergency Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of thirty working days, effective 31 August 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

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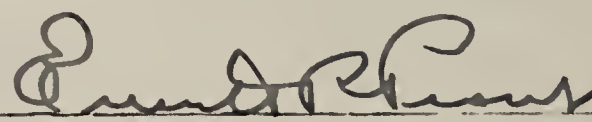
VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office at the salary of \$40.75 a week for a three-month period:

Date Effective

Arthur J. Flood, 3 Perkins Sq., J. P.	Sept. 9, 1949
Ernest R. Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., W. Rox.	" 15, "
Thomas J. Cleary, 5 Eunice St., Dorchester	" " "
Charles P. Newton, 36 Gloucester St., Boston	" " "
Joseph W. Blake, 255 Main St., Charlestown	" " "
James L. Donovan, 99 Green St., Boston	" 18, "
Thomas H. Gilmore, 68 Pinckney St., Boston	" " "
William A. Hagerty, 30 Newport St., Dorchester	" " "
Alfred J. O'Donnell, 31 Lindsey St., Dorchester	" " "
Robert N. Johnson, 42 West Eagle St., East Boston	" 21, "
Bartholomew F. Connors, 72 Ashford Street, Allston	" " "
Daniel F. Greene, 1046 Adams Street, Dorchester	" 29, "

VOTED to approve Discount Drafts of Bills in favor of the Eagle Electric Supply Co., Inc., amounting to \$90.03

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

6 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

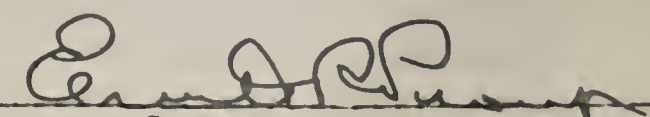
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,651.90

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 912.81

VOTED to approve September Draft of B I L L S amounting to \$1,083.40

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors and Prout

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,726.69

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 904.66


VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint the following named as Provisional Assistant Registrars of Voters for a period of three months, effective 14 September 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 the week:

William J. Craven, 31 Bainbridge St., Roxbury

John J. Powers, 10 Lorraine Terrace, Brighton

VOTED to approve locations of polling places, 362 in number, for the CITY ELECTION, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1949, in accordance with agreements for use of private buildings, leases for use of private land, letters for public buildings, schools and libraries on file in this office.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

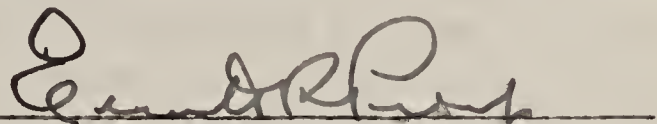
15 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint Patrick J. Griffin of 94 Carver Street, Boston, an Assistant Registrar of Voters for a period of three months, effective 19 September 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

20 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

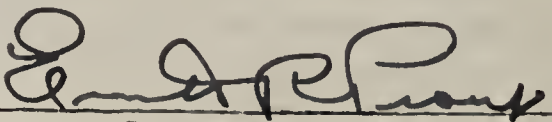
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,793.81

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 888.36

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint LEONARD M. BLOOM of 106 Millet Street, Dorchester, an Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of three months, effective 30 September 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED to appoint Outside Assistant Registrars as per list on file in office, for the term ending September 30, 1950, and to qualify them at this office on September 22, 1949, at 7.30 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

21 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

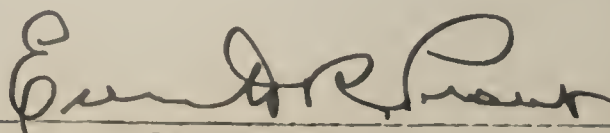
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to instruct and qualify election officers who are to serve in voting machine precincts in Room 108, City Hall Annex, during the hours from 4 P.M. to 10 P.M. in accordance with the following schedule:

Wards 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	October 3rd
" 10, 11, 12, 13	" 4th
" 14, 15, 16	" 5th
" 17, 18, 19	" 6th
" 20, 21, 22	" 7th

VOTED to request His Honor the Mayor to allow the Board to have the Wright & Potter Printing Co., 32 Derne St., Boston, print the City Election ballots without advertising for bids at a price of \$7,216.25, such cost being distributed as follows:--290,000 official ballots for 250 precincts, including specimen ballots (15 for each precinct) - \$3900.; 20,000 absentee ballots for 362 precincts - \$745.; 20,000 war ballots for 362 precincts - \$745.; 11,200 "Challenged Ballots - \$145.50 Voting machine cards and specimen ballots for 112 precincts - \$1,680.75. Additional paper ballots will be supplied at the rate of \$8.75 per thousand.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 September 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,782.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to1,033.24

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint SYDNEY LEVINE of 786 Blue Hill Avenue, Dorchester, as an Emergency Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of thirty days, effective 29 September 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED to hold demonstrations of voting machines in the wards in which/they have been installed on the evenings of October 25, 26, 27, 28, 31, and November 1, 2 and 3, during the hours from 7 P. M. to 10 P.M., in accordance with schedule on file in this office. for the first time

VOTED to hold demonstration in the Election Department Lobby at City Hall Annex during the same period - October 25, 26, 27, 28, 31, and November 1, 2 and 3 - from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.

for the first time

All voters in precincts where voting machines are to be used/at the City Election will be notified by postal of the demonstrations.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 September 1949

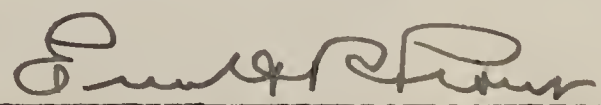
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint WILLIAM T. CASEY of 69 Moreland Street, Roxbury, as an Emergency Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a period of thirty days, effective 3 October 1949, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED to extend the leave of absence without pay of Joseph A. Dalton, Asst. Registrar, for a period of six months effective 1 October 1949. Mr. Dalton is now employed in a temporary capacity by the Public Buildings Department.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

4 October 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau


Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,793.81

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,035.06

VOTED to extend the leave of absence without pay of Anna G. Bonner, Assistant Registrar, for a period of six months effective 13 October 1949. Miss Bonner has requested this leave for reasons of health and at the recommendation of her physician--the Board being of the belief that her excellent service merits this consideration.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 October 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Board commenced the certification of nomination papers on 30 September, and proceeded with such certification on October 3, 4 and 5th. Such certification was declared to be completed on this day, 5 October 1949, at 4 o'clock P.M. The following results appear:

NOMINATED FOR MAYOR

George F. Oakes	290 Metropolitan Avenue
John B. Hynes	31 Druid Street
Walter A. O'Brien, Jr.	10 Partridge Street
Patrick J. Sonny McDonough	16 Carruth Street
James M. Curley	350 Jamaicaway

NOMINATED FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Ralph W. Sullivan	14 Fendale Avenue
Alice Lyons	76 Moraine Street
Patrick J. Foley	505 East Broadway
Thomas Xavier Murphy	22 Codman Street
Clement A. Norton	33 Myopia Road
Michael J. Ward	51 Wallingford Road
Otis A. Hood	33 Fayston Street
Kathleen T. Ryan Dacey	158 Calumet Street
John A. Breen	22 Carruth Street

(continued)

NOMINATED FOR CITY COUNCIL

WARD 1

Anthony L. Bruno	63 Brooks Street
Michael A. Porrazzo	165 Cottage Street
Saverio F. Caggiano	324 Saratoga Street
Thomas A. Riley, Jr.	106 Moore Street
Saverio L. Pellegrini	109 Maverick Street
Michael Pastore	7 Chelsea Street
James S. Coffey	451 Meridian Street
John F. Shanahan	328 Meridian Street
Edward Fontes	15 Havre Street
Howard T. Dodge, Jr.	2 Bennett Place
Edwin T. Casey	42 Sumner Street

WARD 2

Michael Leo Kinsella	7 Belmont Street
Robert F. McCormick	58 Decatur Street
Andrew B. Clancy	14 Mount Vernon Street

WARD 3

Robert B. DiFruscio	10 Eaton Street
George T. Lanigan	20 North Anderson Street
Edward Lowell Davis	59 Spring Street
Frederick C. Langone	149 Endicott Street
Charles G. Haddad	72 Waltham Street
Michael Bevilacqua	172 Salem Street
Thomas Corey	9 Rollins Street
Thomas F. McCormick	144 Tyler Street
Angelo Morello	1 Poplar Street

WARD 4

Francis X. Sheehan	1022 Boylston Street
James H. D. Bailey	482 Columbus Avenue
Perlie Dyar Chase	136 Huntington Avenue
John D. Leach	28 Westland Avenue
John J. O'Keefe	29 Falmouth Street

WARD 5

Forrest F. Chauncey	40 Queensberry Street
Edward J. Goodfellow	247 Beacon Street
James J. Gannon, Jr.	45 Compton Street
John E. Yerxa	3 Fairfield Street

WARD 6

Francis E. Keefe	131 I Street
John B. Wenzler	514 East Broadway
David J. Breadmore	293 E Street
Francis E. Skerry	102 Emerson Street
Frank J. Ivas	736 East Sixth Street

WARD 7

Frank J. Guaragna	73 Sumner Street
John Flaherty	433 Old Colony Avenue
Arthur M. Fitzgerald	19 Burrill Place
Thomas E. Linehan	770 Columbia Road
Francis W. Keating, Jr.	21 Monsignor Denis F. O'Callaghan Way

Ward 8

Charles Iannello
Primo Pollini
William F. Hurley

887 Harrison Avenue
6 Marshfield Street
76 Mount Pleasant Avenue

Ward 9

David B. O'Neill
Daniel F. Sullivan
James H. McIlvaine
Ernest G. Keliher
Laurence H. Banks
Sebron Hayes

28 Highland Street
9 Highland Street
78 Hammond Street
17 Bartlett Street
23 Haskins Street
563 Massachusetts Avenue

Ward 10

William A. Carey
Francis Patrick Tracey

139 Saint Alphonsus Street
66 Calumet Street

Ward 11

Philip A. Tracy
Thomas M. Coyne
John P. Hanley
Joseph Green

9 Hampstead Road
299 Forest Hills Street
10 Woodside Avenue
78 Woodlawn Street

Ward 12

Theodore Mantho
Milton Cook
Albert J. O'Maley
George J. Brackman
Arthur Williams

53 Waverly Street
168 Ruthven Street
32 Regent Street
36 Moreland Street
116 Bower Street

Ward 13

Thomas J. Hannon

15 Hartford Street

Ward 14

Julius Ansel
James Zisman
David Gorfinkle
Hubert I. Yorra

22 Wales Street
83 Devon Street
45 Stratton Street
22 Westview Street

Ward 15

Robert J. Ramsey
George B. Nelson
John B. Kelly
John J. Sullivan
Fred O. Stoltz
Stephen A. Murphy

39 Cameron Street
80 Glendale Street
64 Homes Avenue
415 Geneva Avenue
96 Olney Street
176 Westville Street

Ward 16

Thomas F. Brennan	29 Templeton Street
John J. Beades	278 Minot Street
John J. Kearns	132 Wrentham Street
Francis F. Foley	2 Blanche Street

Ward 17

Harvard Y. Pond	20 Darlington Street
John E. Troy, Jr.	41 Ellison Avenue
Edward B. Walsh	116 Milton Avenue
Anthony J. Farin	7 Packard Avenue
Thomas J. Lynch	101 Dakota Street
Jeremiah J. Collins, Jr.	28 Druid Street

Ward 18

Michael Herbert Cantwell	4 Violante Street
William C. Paton	19 Adams Avenue
James J. Tobin	484 Beech Street

Ward 19

Thomas L. McCormack	30 Orchard Street
Thomas E. McGuiggan	1 Regent Circle
Francis X. Fenton	17 Saint John Street

Ward 20

Walter D. Bryan	18 Alhambra Road
John F. Shamon	18 Farquhar Street
Theodore F. Lyons	100 Ardale Street
Charles J. Feeney	200 Temple Street

Ward 21

Edmund V. Lane	1666 Commonwealth Avenue
John J. Stanton	1086 Commonwealth Avenue

Ward 22

Vincent J. Shanley	73 Parsons Street
John E. Kennedy	45 Gardena Street
Benjamin A. Gold	30 Aldie Street
Martin M. Kelly	29 Justin Road

NOT NOMINATED FOR MAYOR

J. Ralph Granara	125 Brighton Street
Alonzo B. Cook	58 Pinckney Street
Thomas J. O'Brien	75A Clifton Street

NOT NOMINATED FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Frederic J. Muldoon	3 Mapleton Street
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NOT NOMINATED FOR CITY COUNCIL

Ward 1

Michael Fagone 98 Everett Street

Ward 2

Thomas J. Crotty 16 Call Street

Ward 3

Americo Visconti 164 Endicott Street
Robert F. Starratt 25 Lynde Street
Alfred A. Berlandi 12 Coting Street
Michael Dello Russo 210 Endicott Street
R. William Rocci 174 Salem Street

Ward 4

Vincent L. Sinclair 21 Yarmouth Street
Teresa Sullivan McCarthy 30 Hemenway Street

Ward 5

James F. Russell 26 Cazenove Street

Ward 6

William F. Mahoney 81 P Street

Ward 8

John G. Kennan 63 East Brookline Street
Richard J. Mullaney 202 Dudley Street

Ward 9

Maurice L. Smith 612 Columbus Avenue
Rudolph L. Trent 30 Sarsfield Street

Ward 11

James B. Connolly 3571 Washington Street
John J. Horgan 1 Mahn's Terrace
Joseph F. Bannen 20 Egleston Street

Ward 12

Luciano Cantillo 28 Bower Street

Ward 13

Joseph F. Carter 55 Monadnock Street

Ward 14

Richard P. Arnold 135 Intervale Street

Ward 15

Charles J. Hubert 6 Leroy Street

CITY OF BOSTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: That meetings of the citizens of this city qualified to vote for city officers be held, at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners, on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, 1949, to give in their votes for mayor, for two members of the School Committee for a term of four years, and for one member of the City Council in each ward; also to give in their votes "yes" or "no" in answer to the following question:

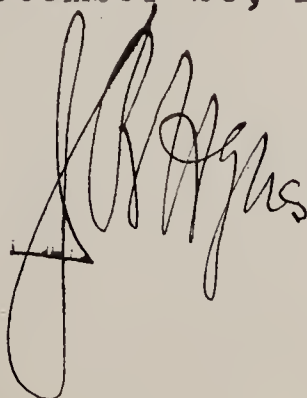
"Shall the City of Boston adopt the form of government defined as Plan A under the provisions of an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and forty-eight, and consisting of a Mayor, a city council of nine members elected at large, and a school committee of five members elected at large, with all candidates therefor being nominated by preliminary elections?"

The polls at said meeting shall be opened at eight o'clock A. M. and closed at eight o'clock P. M.

ORDERED: That the City Clerk be hereby directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

In City Council September 26, 1949. Passed.

Attest:



City Clerk.

Election

CITY OF BOSTON

IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

IN THE YEAR 1891

TO THE HONORABLE THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

OF THE CITY OF BOSTON

IN RELATION TO THE

PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE

WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY

OF BOSTON

AND TO THE HONORABLE THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE

PUBLIC WORKS

OF THE CITY OF BOSTON

AND TO THE HONORABLE THE

COMMISSIONERS OF THE

FINANCE

OF THE CITY OF BOSTON

IN RELATION TO THE

PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE

WATER SUPPLY OF THE CITY

OF BOSTON

AND TO THE

HONORABLE THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

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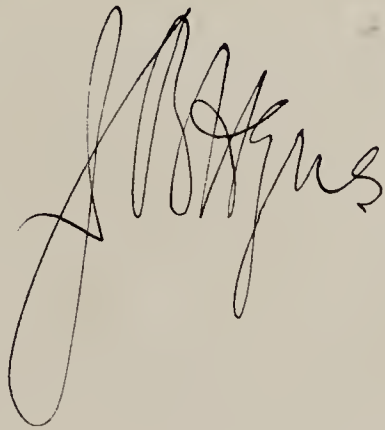
COMMISSIONERS OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: That the provisions of sections 55,
56 and 57 of chapter 54 of the General Laws, be,
and hereby are, suspended and made inapplicable
as to the several questions to be voted upon at
the city election to be held on November 8, 1949.

In City Council September 26, 1949. Passed.
Approved by the Mayor October 4, 1949.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "J. H. [unclear]", written in a cursive style.

City Clerk.

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

Resolved: That the Committee of Finance and Accounts be authorized to pay out of the City Treasury the sum of \$100,000 for the purchase of the site of the new City Hall, and to execute all the necessary documents for the same.

Attest:
In City Council Chamber, 1891.
Mayor.

City Clerk.

Ward 16

Lawrence Patrick Keegan
Thomas J. Francis

8 Rowena Street
1 Lorenzo Street

Ward 18

Stanley E. Toloczko
Orlando Caruso

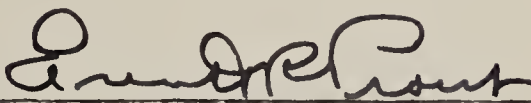
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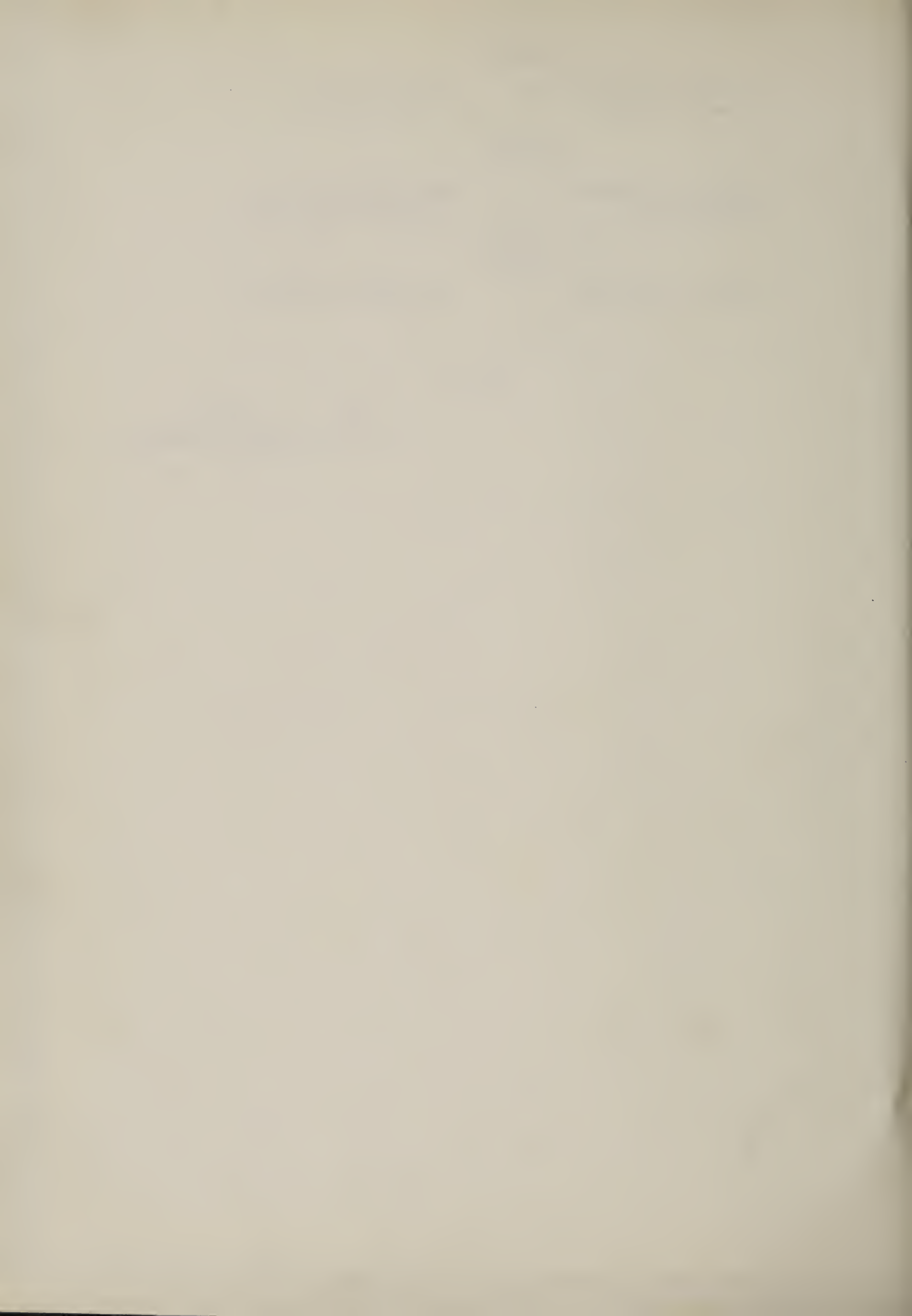
Ward 19

Donald H. McCarthy

188 Wachusett Street

Attest:


Secretary.



In Board

18 November 1949


Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employees who worked in excess of their regular hours during period that voting machines were demonstrated and set up with ballot labels for election day; and who worked in excess of their regular hours in connection with the City Election (see copy on file in office), amounting to\$4,747.35

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 3,635.03

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

21 November 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$1,116.56

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers at the CITY ELECTION held on 8 November 1949 as follows:

362	Wardens	@ \$15.	\$5,430.	
362	Clerks	@ 15.	5,430.	
1452	Inspectors	@ 13.	18,876.	
1	"	@ 8.40	8.40	
1	"	@ 4.60	4.60	
1	"	@ 9.30	9.30	
1	"	@ 3.	3.	
1	"	@ 10.	10.	\$29,771.30

VOTED to approve Pay Rolls covering services of Custodians of Public and Private Buildings used for the Registration of Voters during the period from 5 October to 19 October, inclusive; also during the period from 25 October to 3 November, inclusive, when buildings were used for the demonstration of voting machines, amounting to\$1,880.00

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint Mr. Charles A. Borsani of 6 Buswell Street, Boston, a Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department for the period beginning 28 November 1949 and ending 31 January 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 the week.

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VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment to 31 January 1950 of the following-named Assistant Registrars in this department at an annual salary of \$3000. The effective date of each extension is set forth against the name:

John L. Donovan, 3 Adams Street23 November
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St. ..24 November
Charles D. Spellman, 163 Calumet Street25 November
John J. O'Connor, 25 Horan Way25 November

Attest:


Secretary

In Board

22 November 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

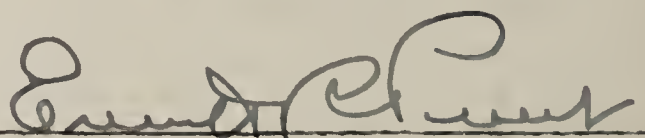
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in the office, amounting to\$1,116.56

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Polling ⁸⁴Places on day of City Election, 8 November 1949, amounting to3,493.94

The recount ordered in Ward 9 (3 mechanized precincts - 12 paper ballot precincts) was completed this day at 3 P.M., and it affected no change in the results of the election for City Councillor.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 November 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees as per copy on file in the office, amounting to\$3,647.31

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The following communication was received in this office this day:

23 Haskins Street
Boston 20, Massachusetts
November 25, 1949.

Board of Election Commissioners
City of Boston
City Hall, Boston

Gentlemen:

I intend to contest the election of Daniel F. Sullivan, 9 Highland Street, Boston, Massachusetts, for the office of City Councillor, Ward 9, Boston, Massachusetts.

/S/ Laurence H. Banks

*Edward F. Cooley and
William F. Mahony

VOTED, in view of the above, that James W. Kelleher, Assistant Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston, represent this Board on all legal matters relating to this case.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 November 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$1,088.04

VOTED to approve December Draft of B I L L S amounting to 1,178.35

Attest:


Secretary.

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,609.71

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for the period ending 31 January 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week:

	<u>Date Effective</u>
Arthur J. Flood, 3 Perkins Sq., J. P.	Dec. 9, 1949
William J. Craven, 31 Bainbridge St., Rox.	" 14, "
John J. Powers, 10 Lorraine Ter., Bri.	" " "
Ernest R. Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., W. Rox.	" 15, "
Thomas J. Cleary, 5 Eunice St., Dor.	" " "
Charles P. Newton, 36 Gloucester St., Boston	" " "
Joseph W. Blake, 255 Main St., Chas.	" " "
James L. Donovan, 99 Green St., Boston	" 18, "
Thomas H. Gilmore, 68 Pinckney St., Boston	" " "
William A. Hagerty, 30 Newport St., Dor.	" " "
Alfred J. O'Donnell, 31 Lindsey St., Dor.	" " "
Patrick J. Griffin, 94 Carver St., Boston	" 19, "
Robert N. Johnson, 42 West Eagle St., E. B.	" 21, "
Bartholomew F. Connors, 72 Ashford St., All.	" " "
Daniel F. Greene, 1046 Adams St., Dor.	" 29, "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

8 December 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$964.06

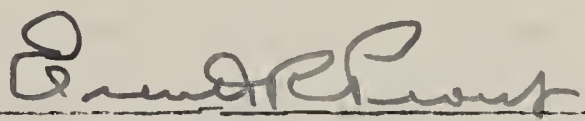
VOTED to approve payment for lots of land on which voting booths are located-- rental to cover from 1 July to 31 December, inclusive, amounting to 263.33

VOTED to approve December (Suppl. #1) Draft of B I L L S amounting to ... 580.20

VOTED to approve Bills covering use of electricity in booths at City Election, amounting to 84.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of PAUL A. MARTIN of 114 Cedar St., Roxbury, as a provisional assistant registrar in this office for the period ending 31 January 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 December 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,890.46

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the temporary transfer of JOHN J. REILLY from Assistant Registrar at \$3200. to Voting Machine Custodian at \$4100, effective 21 December, and for the period ending 31 January 1950.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the temporary transfer of GEORGE R. NICHOLS from Assistant Registrar at \$3300. to Deputy Chief Asst. Registrar at \$3900., effective 18 December, and for the period ending 31 January 1950.

VOTED to approve Special Draft in favor of The Shoup Voting Machine Corporation for the sum of \$4,500., the same being payment in full under contract of 8 August 1949 for the purchase of 1 - 50 Bank Shoup Voting Machine Ballot Punch.

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VOTED to approve Discount Draft in the favor of Eagle Electric Supply Co.,
Inc., for the payment of electrical supplies amounting to\$116.11
Less 2% 2.32
\$113.79

VOTED, subject to approval by His Honor the Mayor, to appoint WILLIAM T.
CASEY as an Emergency Assistant Registrar at the salary rate of \$40.75 a
week, for a thirty-day period effective 15 December 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 December 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file
in office, amounting to\$914.72

VOTED to approve Pay Roll (Supplementary) covering overtime for
chauffeurs from other City Departments who worked in this office in
excess of their regular hours on the day of the City Election,
amounting to 271.71

VOTED to assign Peter Lynch, Democratic Assistant Registrar, and
William S. Cummings, Republican Assistant Registrar, and John J. Reilly,
Voting Machine Custodian, to begin the preliminary work on the consolidation
of precinct lines.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

21 December 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to\$3,653.82

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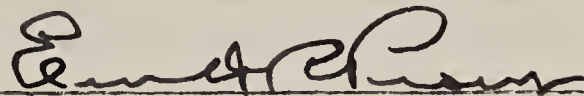
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$992.66

VOTED, to approve Discount Draft in favor S. J. Hingston of 326 Medford Street, Charlestown, for work done at the Quincy Street Schoolhouse prior to the installation of voting machines (strengthening flooring to make safe for voting machines), amounting to\$186.05
Less 1% 1.86
\$184.19

VOTED to approve Draft in favor of the City of Boston Printing Department covering payment of printing and office supplies pertinent to the City Election, amounting to\$25,104.59

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ELLA J. WALSH, Provisional Assistant Registrar in this office for one month, effective 1 January 1950, at the salary rate of \$2900. the year.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board 27 December 1949

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,653.82

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file in office, amounting to 873.97

VOTED to approve Supplementary Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers at the recent City Election--said election officers not having been reimbursed to date for services rendered, amounting to 70.17

VOTED to approve Draft in favor of the City of Boston Printing Department covering payment of printing and office supplies pertinent to the City Election, amounting to 497.61

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

3 January 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED that the official stamp of the Board containing facsimiles of the signatures of members of the Board be used for the year 1950 for the purpose of certifying on nomination papers and petitions the number of signatures which are the names of registered voters.

VOTED that said facsimile stamp be used in certifying the returns of any persons who are candidates for public office and also any questions that may appear upon the ballot.

VOTED that the Commissioners' individual facsimile stamps be used on applications for qualifications of members of the armed forces as absentee voters and on applications for absentee ballots for those in the armed forces.

VOTED to authorize the employees of the department working under the direction of the Board to use facsimile stamps - Board or individual - for specified purposes as need may arise in connection with essential work of the department.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employes in this office in accordance with copy on file, amounting to\$3,728.61*

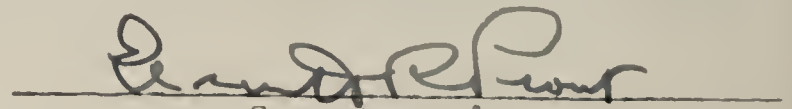
57%	charged to 1949 appropriation	.....\$2,125.31
43%	" " 1950 "	.....1,603.30

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employes as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$ 922.87

60%	charged to 1949 appropriation	..... \$553.72
40%	" " 1950 "	..... 369.15

VOTED to present Special Draft to the City Auditor in favor of Rafferty Brothers for the sum of \$3,285., the same being payment in full for the transportation within the city of 219 city-owned Shoup Voting Machines at the rate of \$15.00 each machine, in accordance with contract approved by the Mayor under date of 8 August 1949.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

10 January 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on file
in office, amounting to \$3,667.24

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file
in office, amounting to 955.47

VOTED to approve Discount Draft as follows:

Eagle Electric Supply Co., Inc.	\$462.25
Less 2%	<u>9.25</u>
	\$453.00

VOTED to approve December 31 Supplementary Drafts amounting to\$1,773.55

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

17 January 19⁵⁰~~49~~

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on file
in office, amounting to\$3,694.11

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on file
in office, amounting to 939.17

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 January 1950

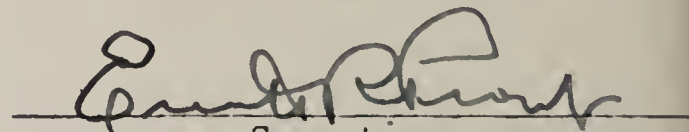
Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,717.11

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 882.12

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

31 January 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,728.61

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 744.43

In accordance with Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1939 the services of the
following-named provisional assistant registrars were terminated on
31 January 1950:

** Joseph W. Blake	Patrick J. Griffin
Charles A. Borsani	William A. Hagerty
Ernest Camerlengo	* Mary E. Hughes
* William T. Casey	Robert N. Johnson
Thomas J. Cleary	Paul A. Martin
Bartholomew F. Connors	William P. McDermott
Peter F. Coleman, Jr.	Alfred J. O'Donnell
James L. Donovan	John J. O'Connor
John L. Donovan	John J. Powers
Arthur J. Flood	Charles D. Spellman
Thomas H. Gilmore	Frederick D. Tucker
Daniel P. Greene	

* Temporary appointment expired on 25 January 1950

** " " " " 27 " "

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the
employment of ROBERT N. JOHNSON of 42 West Eagle St., East Boston, as a
provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective
1 February 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of CHARLES D. SPELLMAN of 103 Calumet Street, Roxbury, as a provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 1 February 1950, at the salary rate of \$3000. the year.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ERNEST CAMERLENGO of 49 Willow Street, West Roxbury, as a provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 2 February 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of PETER F. COLEMAN, JR. of 4089 Washington Street, Roslindale, as a provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 6 February 1950, at the salary rate of \$3000. the year.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of JOHN J. POWERS of 10 Lorraine Terrace, Brighton, as a provisional assistant registrar, for a period of three months, effective 8 February 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week.

In accordance with Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1939 the temporary promotions of
John J. Reilly, as Voting Machine Custodian at \$4100. the year
John A. Mayr, " " " " 3800. " "
George R. Nichols" Deputy Chief Asst. Registrar 3900. " "
were terminated as of 31 January 1950. In all three instances upon recommendation of the Board six months' extensions were granted by His Honor the Mayor.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

7 February 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

Voted to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,500.40

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 57.05

The appointment of Agnes Dinsmore as a Provisional Assistant Registrar in this office expired on 2 February 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 February 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.


VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,580.95

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 130.40

VOTED to accept Annual Report of department as on file in this office and
to have the following edition printed:

200 cloth bound reports
500 paper bound reports

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

20 February 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,557.93

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 122.25

VOTED to summons prospective jurors and examine them in this office during
the hours from 9 A.M. to 7 P.M. in the following wards on the dates set
forth below:

Wards 3 - 13	.....	on March 6
2 - 14	.....	" " 8
8 - 18	.....	" " 10
11 - 20	.....	" " 13
6 - 21	.....	" " 15
1 - 15	.....	" " 20
10 - 22	.....	" " 22
9 - 19	.....	" " 24
12 - 17	.....	" " 27
5 - 16	.....	" " 29
4 - 7	.....	" " 31

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

28 February 1950


Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file
in office, amounting to \$3,557.93

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file
in office, amounting to 122.25

Attest:



Secretary.

In Board

6 March 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file
in office, amounting to \$3,508.83

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file
in office, amounting to 122.25

The Chairman under date of 3 March 1950 addressed Memo to Mr. Thomas P. McCusker, Executive Secretary to Mayor John B. Hynes, in which he called attention to new legislation (Chap. 212 of the Acts of 1949) which requires that all first voting lists be printed and available for public distribution not later than 15 July in state election years.

The Chairman further called attention to the policy of the department to assign two Assistant Registrars in the making up of the voting list to each ward of the city - thus requiring a complement of forty-four assistant registrars. He also pointed out that there were ten wards of the city which were being worked by but one Assistant Registrar, which resulted in slow work and will undoubtedly delay the printing of the voting list.

In view of the above conditions, the Board VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint the following-named men (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office, for a three-month period, effective 6 March 1950, at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week:


Robert J. Brennan	222 LaGrange St., West Roxbury
N. Charles Crossen	164 Florence St., Roslindale
Thomas S. Cusack	50 Antwerp St., Brighton
Daniel J. Fitzgerald	47 B Street, South Boston
Thomas J. Garrity	228 Geneva Avenue, Dorchester

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Francis B. Kenney	10 Dresden Street, Jamaica Plain
John V. Norton	20 Owencroft Road, Dorchester
John F. Ruck	10 Dresden Street, Jamaica Plain
* John J. O'Connor	114 Heath Street, Roxbury
** John J. Sullivan	14 Ocean Street, Dorchester

* Appointment effective 13 March
 ** Non-veteran - 30 day emergency appointment

Attest:


 Secretary.

In Board

14 March 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on
 file in office, amounting to \$3,462.04

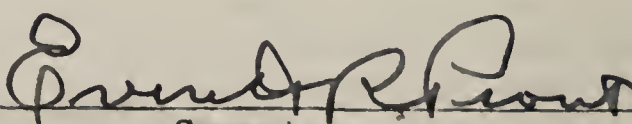
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on
 file in office, amounting to 652.

The following communication which is self-explanatory was received this
 day from Mr. John J. Mahoney, Building Commissioner, and was addressed
 to the Chairman, Mr. J. Joseph Connors:

"The Corporation Counsel has advised me that under the pro-
 visions of Chapter 197 of the Acts of 1949, the permanent
 employment of Joseph H. Dalton as Zoning-Egress Inspector in
 the Building Department is to date from December 29, 1949.
 This will terminate his temporary transfer from your department."

/S/ John J. Mahoney, Building Commissioner.

Attest:


 Secretary.

In Board

21 March 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

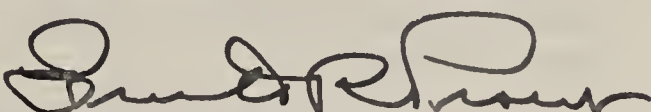
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,496.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 505.30

VOTED to accept leases covering occupancy of lots of land as sites for voting
booths for 1950 in accordance with copies on file in this office.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 March 1950

Present - Commissioners Connors, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to \$3,496.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on
file in office, amounting to 505.30

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to grant sliding scale
increase to KATHLEEN E. O'MALLEY, Assistant Registrar, from \$2800-2900,
effective 14 July 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

3 April 1950

The following communications were received in the office.

CITY of BOSTON

OFFICE of the CITY CLERK

Room 31, City Hall

3 April 1950.

I hereby certify that

JOSEPH RUSSO

having been duly appointed to be Election Commissioner for the term ending March 31, 1954, this day appeared and was sworn as such officer.

Attest:

/s/ W. J. Malloy

City Clerk

OFFICE of the MAYOR

3 April 1950.

Walter J. Malloy, Esq.
City Clerk

Dear Sir:

I hereby designate Joseph Russo, 42 Green Street, Boston, member of the Board of Election Commissioners, to be Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners.

Respectfully,

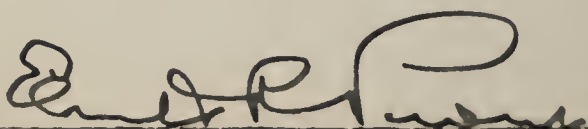
/s/ J. B. Hynes

Mayor

VOTED - Present (Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors)

To approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employes, for week ending 4 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,473.55

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

4 April 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors

Chairman Russo called a meeting of the Board this day for the purpose of organizing for the ensuing year.

On motion made by Commissioner Prout, duly seconded by Commissioner Connors, it was unanimously voted that Commissioner Pfau serve as Secretary of the Board.

Chairman Russo then stated that a meeting of the Police Listing Board for the purpose of organization would be made at the convenience of Police Commissioner Thomas F. Sullivan--Commissioner Prout stating that he would contact Mr. Timothy F. Manning, Clerk of the Board, to arrange for the meeting.

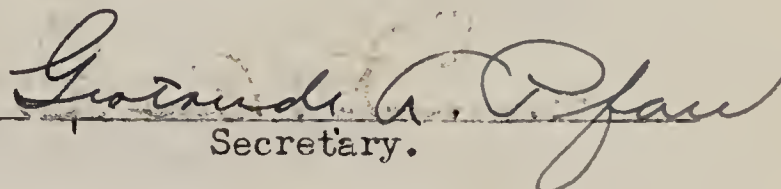
The Chairman then directed that the following letter be sent to the City Auditor:

"Joseph Russo having been duly sworn as Chairman of the Board 3 April 1950, it was voted that he be authorized to sign all bills and payrolls for the ensuing year; that, in the absence of the Chairman, Commissioner Pfau, Secretary of the Board, be authorized so to sign.

/s/ Joseph Russo, Chairman

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 4 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$521.60

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 April 1950

All Present.

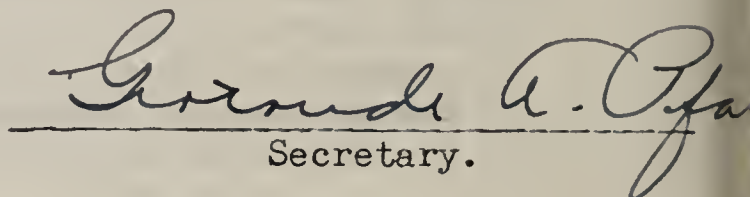
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 11 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,496.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 11 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 529.75

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for employes who worked in excess of their regular hours during period in which examination of prospective jurors was being held (see copy on file in office), amounting to 286.54

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 April 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

The following communication was received in this office:

59 Grafton Street
Quincy 69, Mass.
10 April 1950

Joseph Russo, Chairman
Board of Election Commissioners
111 City Hall Annex, Boston 8

Dear Sir:

I wish to advise the Board that I desire to resign my position as Assistant Registrar of Voters at the expiration of my present leave of absence.

Please be assured that I appreciate the many courtesies extended to me by the Board.

For the present, my mailing address is
59 Grafton Street, Quincy 69, care of Bullard.

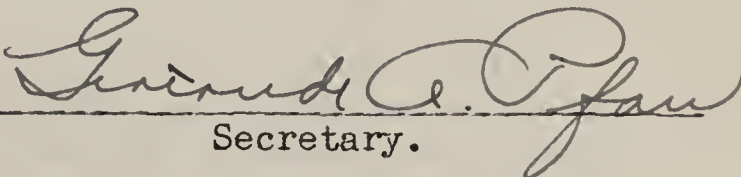
Sincerely,

/S/ Anna G. Bonner

VOTED to accept such resignation.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint ALFRED J. O'DONNELL of 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston, a Provisional Assistant Registrar of Voters for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$40.75 weekly, effective 17 April 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 April 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Board met this day for the purpose of taking under consideration a bill presented by Rafferty Brothers of 77A Linden Street, Allston, for the storage of voting machines at present in their Warehouse in Allston. Mr. John Reilly, Voting Machine Custodian in this department, and Mr. William Rafferty of Rafferty Brothers were present at this meeting.

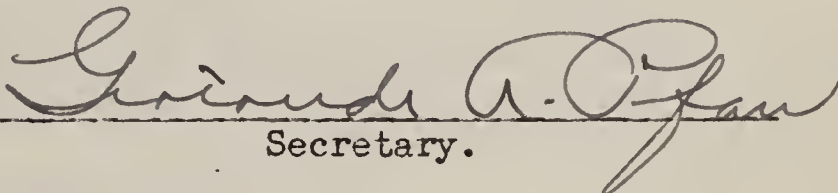
After general discussion Commissioner Prout moved that the matter be referred to the Law Department for an opinion. Commissioner Pfau seconded the motion and it was unanimously carried.

Mr. Rafferty was told that the Board would get in touch with him at a later date.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 18 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,496.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 18 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 464.55

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

25 April 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of the previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

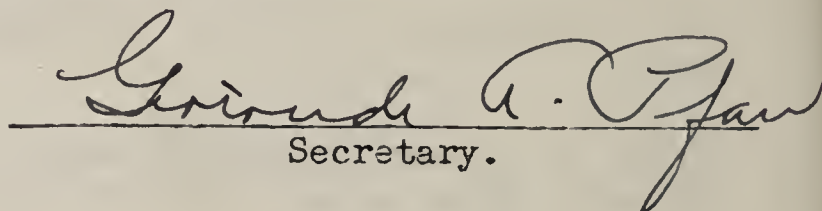
	<u>Salary rate</u>	<u>Date Effective</u>
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Roslindale	\$3000. yr.	6 May
Charles D. Spellman, 103 Calumet St., Roxbury	" "	1 May
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., West Roxbury	\$40.75 wk.	2 May
Robert N. Johnson, 42 West Eagle St., East Boston	" "	1 May
John J. Powers, 10 Lorraine Terrace, Brighton	" "	8 May

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint SALVATORE J. SILVESTRO of 42 Green Street, Boston, a Provisional Assistant Registrar, for a period of three months at the salary rate of \$40.75 a week, effective 26 April 1950.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 25 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,496.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 25 April 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.90

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

2 May 1950

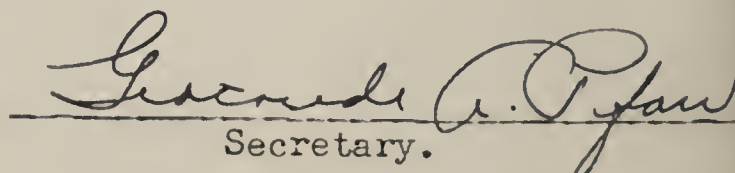
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 2 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,558.70

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 2 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.90

Attest:


Secretary.

10 May 1950

In Board

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

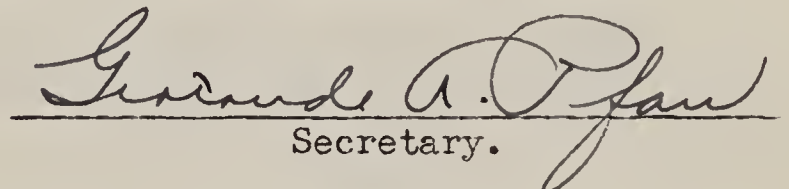
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
9 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,557.93

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
9 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 525.68

The Board at meeting this day had a general discussion on the number of voting lists to be printed for the year 1950, to meet the requirements of the State Primaries and Election in accordance with Chap. 255 of the Acts of 1950.

There was further discussion about the transportation of voting machines - Commissioner Prout moved that the voting machines now being stored in the Rafferty Brothers Warehouse at 77A Linden Street, Allston, be moved so far as possible to permanent polling locations. In the event that there are insufficient polling locations to assign the voting machines to, then the balance of machines not so assigned are to be moved to the Warehouse facilities of P. A. Milan, Hampden Street, Roxbury. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Connors; and it was unanimously so voted. Meeting then adjourned.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

16 May 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

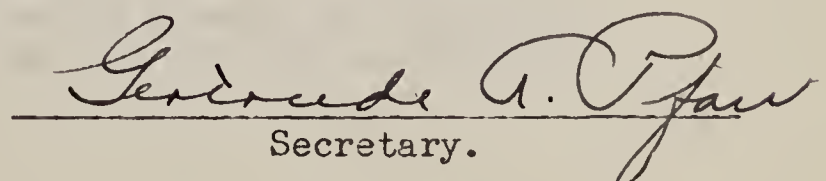
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
16 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,509.61

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
16 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 464.55

VOTED to have^{printed} the following number of First Printed Voting Lists for the
year 1950:

300 copies non-descriptive with party enrolment
18 " descriptive " " " "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 May 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Russo. On motion made by Mr. Russo, seconded by Mr. Prout, it was voted to increase the salary of H. Frederick Elliot, Assistant Registrar in this office, by \$400.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

23 May 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau.

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 23 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,557.93

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 23 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 505.30

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

24 May 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau.

VOTED to submit a supplementary budget in the amount of \$48,077.94 for the approval of His Honor the Mayor. Part of the amount requested is to cover salaries of provisional assistant registrars whose services it is anticipated will be needed to handle the unusual volume of work in the office this year; the remainder of the amount is requested to rectify clerical error made by the Budget Department in ~~in~~ allotting usⁱⁿ sufficient money to pay for the services of Election Officers for two functions this year.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

29 May 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 30 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,019.75

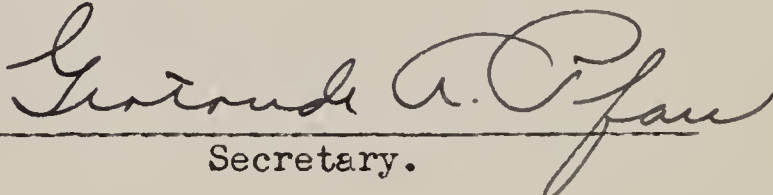
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 30 May 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 497.15

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period, effective 6 June 1950:

Robert J. Brennan
N. Charles Crossen
Thomas M. Cusack
Daniel J. Fitzgerald

Thomas J. Garrity
Francis B. Kenney
John V. Norton
* John J. O'Connor
* effective 13 June

Attest:


Secretary.

1 June 1950

In Board

The following vote, which will be found to be self-explanatory, was taken this day by the Board consisting of His Honor the Mayor and the Board of Election Commissioners:

Boston, Mass.

1 June 1950

A meeting of the Board, established under the provisions of Chapter 43, Acts of 1916, was held in the office of the Mayor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., on Thursday, 1 June 1950.

Present at the meeting - Hon. John B. Hynes, Mayor of Boston; Joseph Russo, Chairman, Board of Election Commissioners; Everett R. Prout, Gertrude A. Pfau, and J. Joseph Connors, members of the Board of Election Commissioners.

The meeting came to order at 10:40 A.M.

It was voted that Mayor John B. Hynes act as Chairman of the meeting, and Gertrude A. Pfau, as Secretary of the meeting.

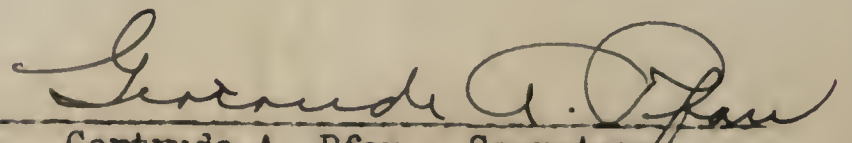
Chairman of Board of Election Commissioners, Joseph Russo, moved that this Board, acting under the authority contained in Section 10, Chapter 411, of the Acts of 1943, as amended by Chap. 399 of the Acts of 1950, adopt the following order:

ORDERED: That the City Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to borrow the sum of \$1,000,000. for the purpose of providing funds for the purchase of voting machines for use at primaries and elections in the City of Boston; and the City Treasurer is hereby further authorized to issue bonds in said amount, payable in ten years from date of issuance thereof.

The motion to adopt the foregoing order was carried unanimously.

Upon motion of Joseph Russo, the meeting was adjourned at 11:10 A.M.

Attest:


Gertrude A. Pfau - Secretary.

The following vote, which will be found to be self-explanatory, was taken by the Board of Election Commissioners this day:

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

Boston, Mass.
1 June 1950

A meeting of the Board of Election Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Joseph Russo on Thursday, 1 June 1950, at 3:00 P.M.

Present at the meeting - Chairman Joseph Russo, Commissioners Everett R. Prout, Gertrude A. Pfau, and J. Joseph Connors.

Commissioner Prout moved that the Board of Election Commissioners, acting under the provisions of Section 34, Chapter 54, of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 84 of the Acts of 1945, hereby determine upon and purchase seven hundred (700) voting machines.

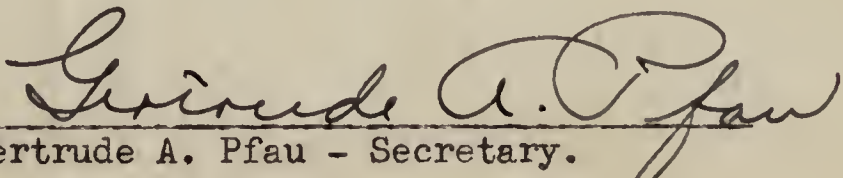
The motion was seconded by Commissioner Connors, and was carried unanimously.

Chairman Russo moved that the Automatic Voting Machine Corporation of Jamestown, New York, and The Shoup Voting Machine Corporation of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, be requested to submit quotations for 700 voting machines.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner Prout, and was carried unanimously.

Upon motion of Chairman Russo the meeting adjourned at 3:15 P.M.

Attest:


Gertrude A. Pfau - Secretary.

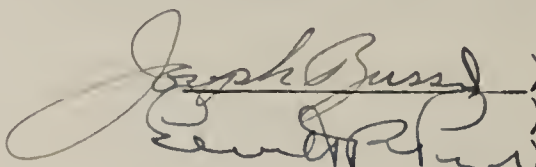
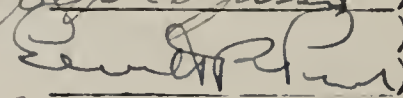
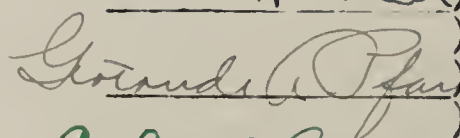
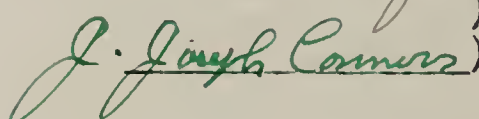
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

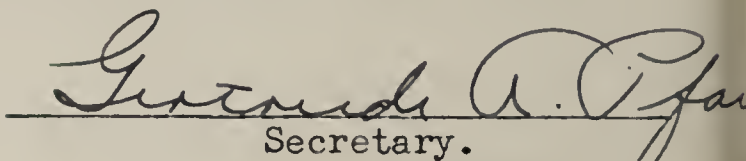
On motion made by Commissioner Prout and seconded by Commissioner Russo it was voted that the request for a submission of quotations referred to in the minutes of the previous meeting take the following form:

"The Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston hereby invites the submission of proposals to be filed with said Board of Election Commissioners, 111 City Hall Annex, Boston, Massachusetts, on or before noon on Wednesday, June 14, 1950, for the sale and delivery to said City of Boston, subject to Mass. General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 54, s. 39, of seven hundred (700) voting machines meeting the requirements set forth in Mass. General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 54, s. 33, as amended,--said voting machines to be sold, delivered and billed in such quantities and at such times as the Board of Election Commissioners may by requisition direct.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

) Board of
) ELECTION
) Comm'rs.


Attest:


Secretary.

in Board

7 June 1950

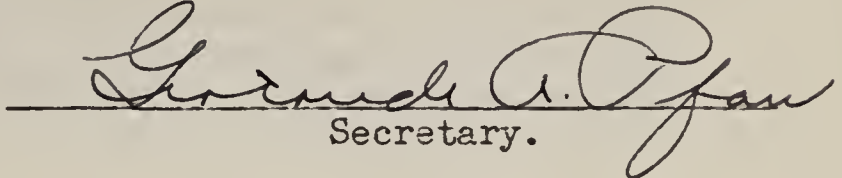
All Present.

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
6 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,676.83

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
6 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 521.60

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 June 1950

All Present.

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
13 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$606.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
13 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to3,241.49

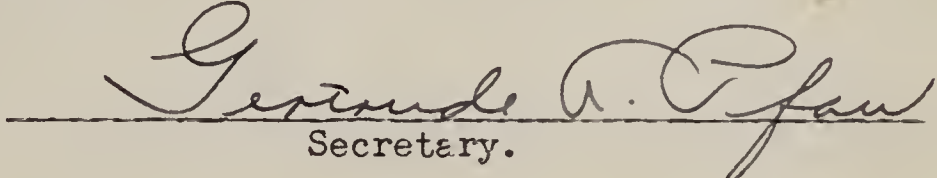
VOTED to hold evening sessions of Ward Registration in local offices from
6 p.m. to 10 p.m. on the following dates:

August 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18

September 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, October 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint RICHARD C.
DiMARE of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, as an Electrician in this department
(Voting Machine Division), at an annual salary of \$3,000. the year, effective
19 June 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 June 1950

All members of the Board present - 12:08 P.M.

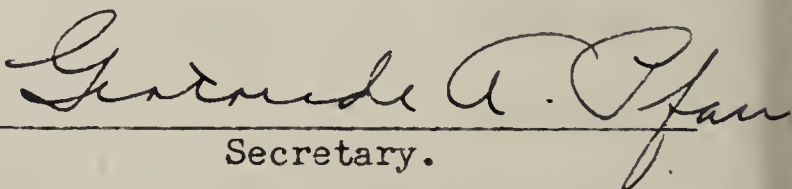
The Chairman announced that the opening of the proposals for voting machines would take place in view of the public.

The first proposal opened was from The Shoup Voting Machine Corporation of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and the price quoted was \$1396. - F.O.B. Canton, Ohio.

The second proposal opened was from the Automatic Voting Machine Corporation of Jamestown, New York, and the quotation for the manually operated voting machine was \$1269. - F.O.B. Jamestown, New York; and the quotation for the electrically operated machine was \$1344. - F.O.B. Jamestown, New York.

Commissioner Prout moved that the proposals be taken under advisement, and that the Board adjourn until 2 P.M. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Connors and carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

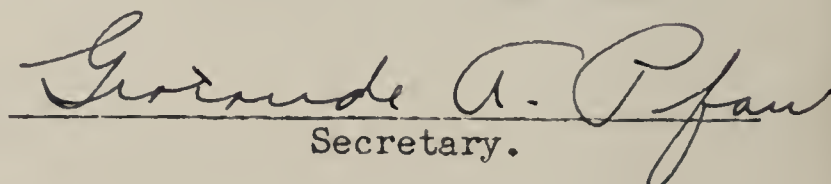
14 June 1950

All members of the Board present - 2 P.M.

General discussion on the merits of both machines took place at this time. There was no action on the part of the Board.

On motion of Chairman Russo, seconded by Commissioner Prout, the Board adjourned until Monday, 19 June, at 2 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 20 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,444.78

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 20 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 587.40

The following communication, which is self-explanatory, was received in this office this day:

Coun. Hurley

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

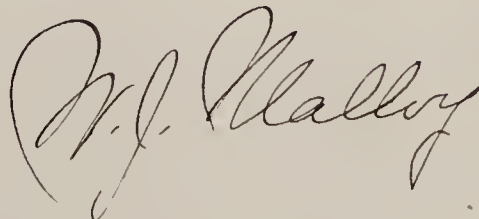
ORDERED: That meetings of the citizens of Ward 7 qualified to vote for city officers be held at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on Tuesday, September 12, 1950, to give in their votes for one member of the City Council from said Ward, to fill a vacancy.

The polls at said meetings shall be opened at eight o'clock A. M. and closed at eight o'clock P. M.

ORDERED: That the City Clerk be directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

In City Council June 19, 1950. Passed.

Attest:



City Clerk.

Attest:

Gertrude A. T. Han
Secretary.

In Board

23 June 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

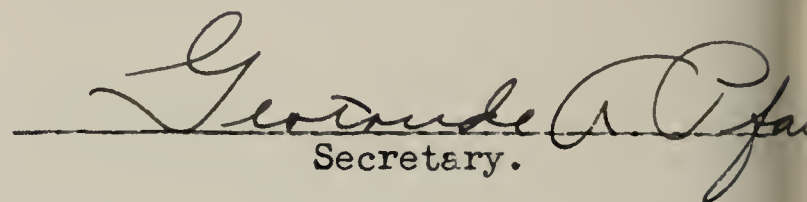
VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint the following as Emergency Assistant Registrars, for a thirty-day period, at a salary of \$9.59 the day, effective 26 June 1950: :

Richard Bosco, 134 Prince Street, Boston

Paul Robert Freddura, 2 Baldwin Place, Boston

VOTED, in accordance with law, to hold registration in our central office from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M. on Tuesday, 5 September 1950, for applicants of Ward 7 only (Special Election to be held on Tuesday, 12 September 1950).

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 June 1950

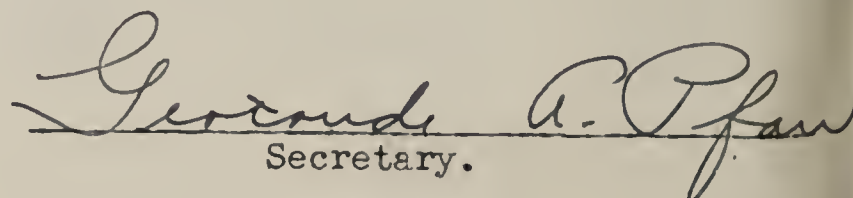
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 27 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,482.32

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 27 June 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 636.76

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 June 1950

Meeting called to order at 2.10 P.M. All Commissioners Present.

Mr. Prout moved that the action of the Chairman in granting temporary employes an increase in salary from \$40.75 the week to \$2500. the year be ratified.

Motion was duly seconded, with three members voting YES - Mr. Connors requesting to be recorded as present.

Mr. Prout moved that the Chairman be authorized to appoint up to and including 10 additional temporary men. This motion was duly seconded and unanimously carried.

The Chairman moved that 700 Automatic Manual Voting Machines be purchased. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Pfau. After general discussion concerning the merits of both machines the question was put and

Voting Yes - Commissioners Russo and Pfau

No - Commissioners Prout and Connors.

Mr. Prout moved that the Board purchase 700 Shoup Voting Machines. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Connors. After further discussion Commissioner Prout moved the previous question, which was seconded by Commissioner Connors, put and carried.

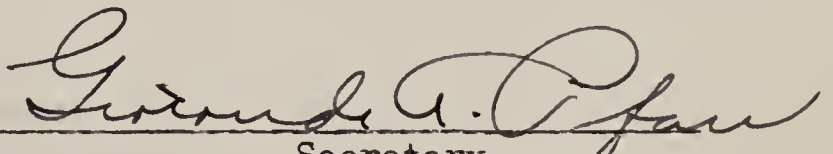
The Chair then put Mr. Prout's motion to a vote

Voting Yes - Commissioners Prout and Connors

No - Commissioners Russo and Pfau.

Meeting adjourned at 2.45 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 June 1950

All Present

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to have the Jury List, as duly prepared in accordance with law and on file in this office, delivered to the persons set forth below:

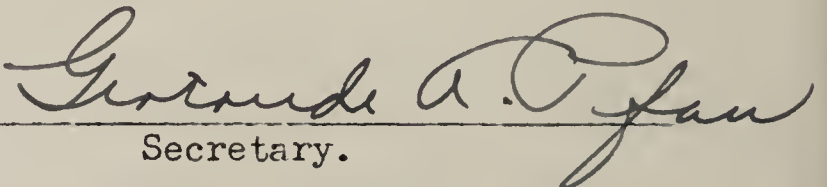
- 1.....Mayor
- 2.....City Clerk
- 1.....Clerk, Suffolk Superior Civil Court
- 14.....Asst. Clerks, Superior Civil Court
- 1.....Clerk, Superior Criminal Court
- 2.....Asst. Clerks, Superior Criminal Court
- 1.....District Attorney
- 1.....Clerk, U. S. District Court
- 2.....Clerk to Chief Justice, Superior Court
- 1.....Clerk of Committees

The jury lists, designated above, were delivered by hand by Mr. Edward P. Kennedy, Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar in this department, and Mr. John V. Norton, Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department, on Friday, 30 June 1950.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,132.17

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 757.60

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

7 July 1950

Present - Election Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors -
and Police Commissioner Sullivan.

Meeting was held this day for the purpose of organizing the Police Listing Board for the City of Boston.

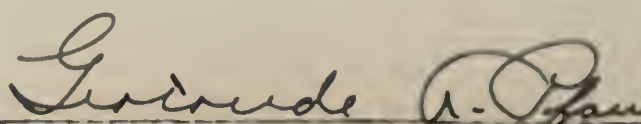
Commissioner Sullivan was elected to serve as Chairman pro tem.

On motion made by Commissioner Russo, duly seconded, Commissioner Sullivan was unanimously elected to serve as Chairman of the Board.

On motion made by Commissioner Russo, seconded by Commissioner Prout, Commissioner Pfau was unanimously elected Secretary of the Board.

Adjourned.

Attest:

 Secretary.

In Board

11 July 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Connors.

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 11 July 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,128.33

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 11 July 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 728.83

Under date of 5 July 1950 it was voted to appoint JAMES H. KERRIGAN of 400 K Street, South Boston, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, a Provisional Assistant Registrar of Voters for a period of three months, effective 10 July 1950, at a salary of \$2500. the year.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period at the yearly salary of \$2500.

	<u>Effective date</u>
Alfred J. O'Donnell, 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston	17 July 1950
Salvatore J. Silvestro, 42 Green Street, Boston	26 " "

Attest:


Commissioner

In Board

18 July 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Connors.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 18 July 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,555.25

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 18 July 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 776.78

VOTED to request His Honor the Mayor to approve the following actions relating to the office personnel:


for six months

To extend/the temporary promotion of GEORGE R. NICHOLS to the position of Deputy Chief Asst. Registrar, at \$3900., effective 1 August;

To extend the temporary promotion of JOHN J. REILLY to the position of Voting Machine Custodian, at \$4100., for six months, effective 1 August;

To extend the temporary promotion of JOHN A. MAYR to the position of Voting Machine Custodian, at \$3800., for six months, effective 17 July 1950.

Attest:


Commissioner.

Present - Commissioners Russo, Pfau and Connors.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Payroll, in accordance with copy on file in this office, for permanent employes for week ending 25 July 1950, amounting to \$3650.74.

VOTED to approve Weekly Payroll, in accordance with copy on file in this office, for temporary employes for week ending 25 July 1950, amounting to\$ 767.19

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

	<u>Salary rate</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Roslindale	\$3000. yr.	6 August
Charles D. Spellman, 103 Calumet St., Roxbury	" "	1 "
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., West Roxbury	2500. "	2 "
Robert N. Johnson, 42 W. Eagle St., E. B.	" "	1 "
John J. Powers, 10 Lorraine Terrace, Brighton	" "	8 "

The following letter, written by His Honor the Mayor, was received in this office this day:

In Board

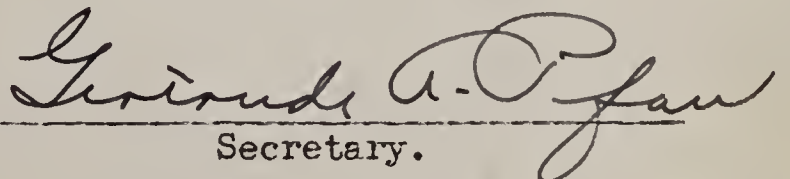
27 July 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Pfau and Connors (11 A.M.)

Mr. Manuel V. McKenney of 4 Holborn Terrace, Roxbury, appeared at this time to establish prima facie evidence in his protest of incorrect registration against one EDWARD W. BROOKE who claims residence at 143 Harrishof Street, Ward 12. Mr. McKenney presented to the Board two sworn affidavits - one signed by Frank Zantrofski of 84 Poplar Street, Boston - the other signed by Mrs. Charlotte Pina and Miss Lena DeSilva both of 202 Chambers Street, Boston - in which all three declared that EDWARD BROOKE had resided at 198 Chambers Street, Boston, "until about the last of May of 1950".

After hearing the testimony offered, the Board VOTED that no prima facie case had been established.

Attest:


Secretary.



JOHN B. HYNES
MAYOR

CITY OF BOSTON
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY HALL, BOSTON

July 24, 1950

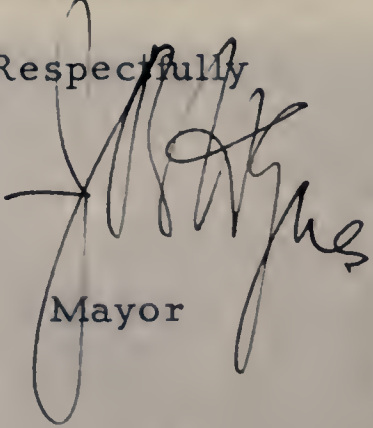
Joseph Russo, Chairman
Board of Election Commissioners
City Hall, Boston

Dear Sir:

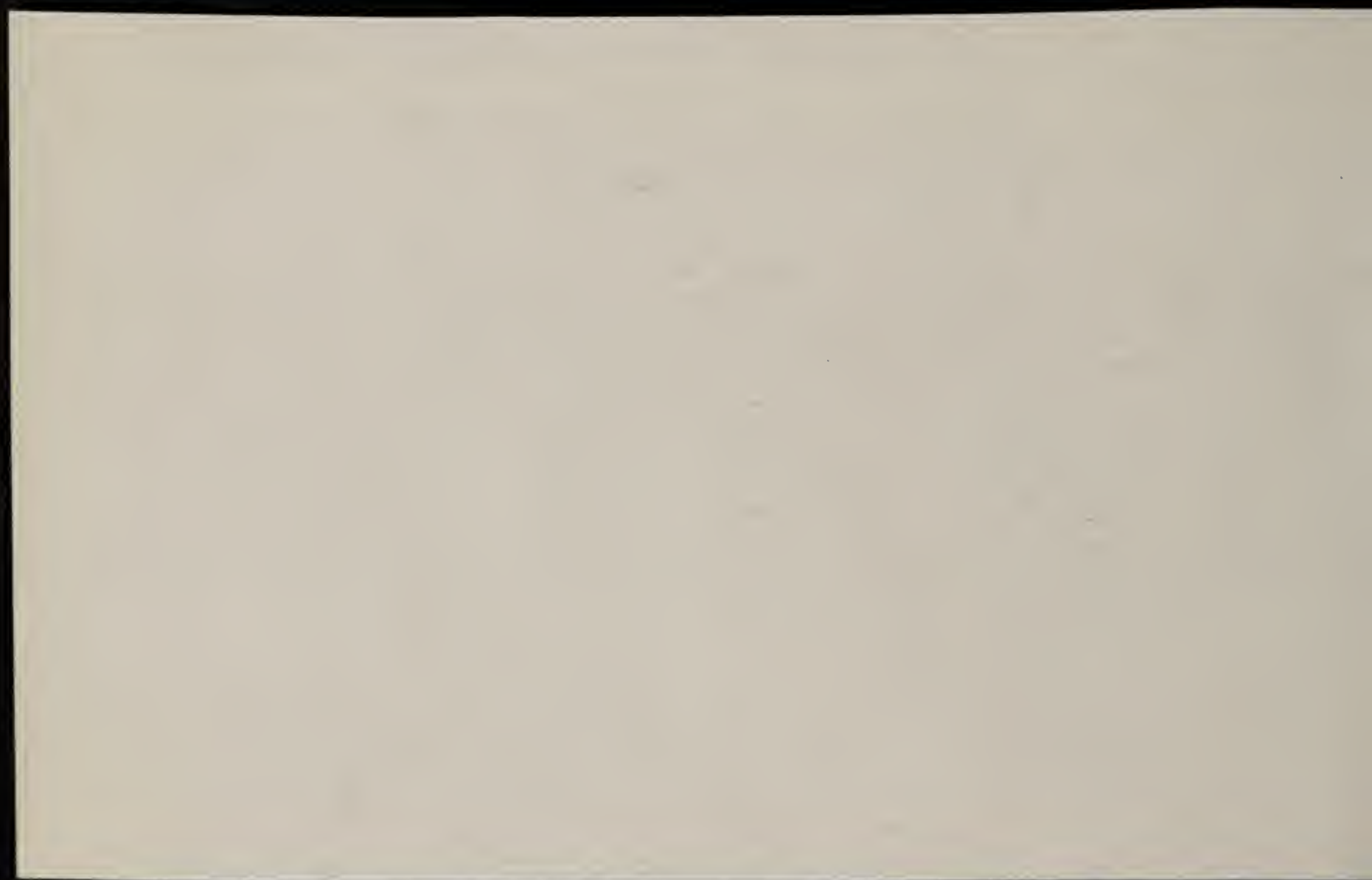
The proposed purchase of voting machines, although desirable in many respects, can well be postponed to a more propitious time, and I so recommend.

In the light of present conditions, and in view of the rising costs of all necessary commodities purchased by the city, it would seem the part of wisdom to make no large purchases at this time, for any purpose not of pressing necessity.

Respectfully


Mayor

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In the absence of Commissioner Prout, now on vacation, this letter is being made a part of the records--action to be taken at a time when the full Board is present.

Under date of 19 July 1950, Manuel V. McKenney of 4 Holborn Terrace, Roxbury, filed complaint of incorrect registration against EDWARD W. BROOKE, alleging that he lives at 198 Chambers Street, Ward 3, and not at 143 Harrishof St., Ward 12. VOTED to notify Manuel V. McKenney to appear at this office on Thursday, 27 July 1950, at 11 A.M., prepared to present evidence at his disposal to establish prima facie case.

ATTEST:

Secretary.

Gerardo A. Pfau

In Board

1 August 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Pfau and Connors.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, for week ending 1 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,764.18

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, for week ending 1 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 736.33

Attest:

Gerardo A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

7 August 1950.

All Present.

VOTED that the certification of nomination papers of candidates to be voted for at the Special City Election to be held on Tuesday, 12 September 1950, be declared completed this day, 7 August 1950. The following results appear:

NOMINATED FOR CITY COUNCIL - - WARD 7

Francis W. Keating, Jr., 21 Monsignor Dennis F. O'Callaghan Way ✓
Jerome Patrick Troy, 22 Chase Street ✓
Frank J. Guaragna, 73 Sumner Street ✓
John J. McColgan, 23 Col. Michael J. McDonough Way ✓
Michael J. Harney, 176 H Street ✓
Leo J. McCarty, 77 Clapp Street ✓
Edward C. Carroll, 234 L Street ✓

NOT NOMINATED FOR CITY COUNCIL - WARD 7

Thomas Desmond, 266 East Ninth Street
Arthur M. Fitzgerald, 19 Burrill Place

VOTED that registration of voters for the Special City Election, Ward 7, be held in this office daily (despite the close of registration on 18 August for State Primaries) and that on 5 September, the last day for such registration, session be held from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M. (See opinion from Law Department on file)

VOTED to qualify Election Officers in accordance with the following schedule:

Wednesday - September 6

Central Office (Election Department) Commissioner Russo
Wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

Wednesday - September 6

Municipal Building, South Boston Commissioner Connors
Wards 6 and 7

Roxbury Court House Commissioner Pfau
Wards 9, 10, 11 (Prec. 1 to 8)

Municipal Building, Columbia Road Commissioner Prout

Thursday - September 7

Dorchester High School (Girls'), Codman Square Commissioner Connors
West Roxbury Courthouse Commissioner Pfau
Ward 11 (Prec. 9 to 16) Wards 18 and 19

High School of Practical Arts Commissioner Prout
Wards 8 and 12

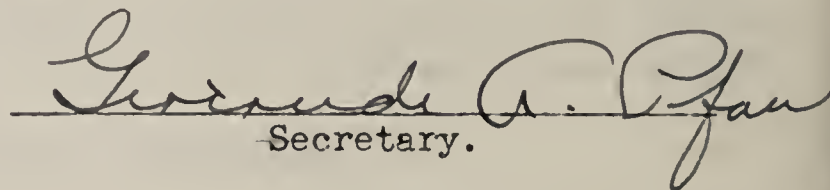
Friday - September 8

Brighton Municipal Bldg., 20 Chestnut Hill Ave. Commissioner Connors
Wards 21 and 22

Municipal Bldg., Cummins Highway Commissioner Pfau
Ward 20

VOTED, that the polls at the State Primaries to be held on TUESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER 1950, be open from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

8 August 1950

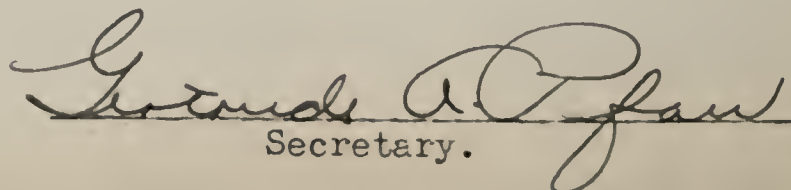
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 8 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,166.70

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 8 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 719.24

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint KAROL KOSTKA of 15 Staniford Street, Boston, a provisional Assistant Registrar of Voters, for a three-month period, effective 9 August 1950, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 August 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 15 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,302.86

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 15 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 690.47

VOTED, in compliance with the provisions of law, to appoint Election Officers in accordance with list on file in this office to serve from 1 September 1950 to 1 September 1951.

The time for filing Withdrawals of candidates for election at the Special Ward 7 Election to be held on Tuesday, 12 September 1950, expired at 5 p.m. this day. The following Withdrawal was filed prior to that time:

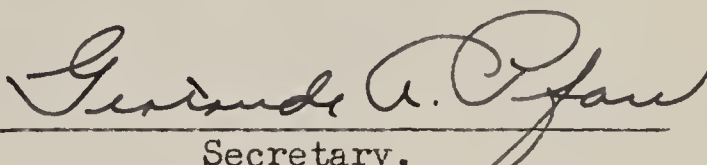
Francis W. Keating21 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston

The time for filing Objections to nominations of candidates at the Special Election expired at 5 p.m. this day. Prior to such time the following Objections was filed:

Jerome Patrick Troy, candidate, against the nomination papers of
EDWARD C. CARROLL

VOTED to set Monday, 21 August at 10 A.M. as the time for hearing this objection, and notices of hearing were sent to all interested parties.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board


21 August 1950

All Present.

Law

Scheduled ballot case to be heard at 10 A.M. this morning (Troy vs. Carroll) having been withdrawn, the Board VOTED that the drawing of the names of candidates for position on the ballot at the Special Election in Ward 7, to be held on Tuesday, 12 September 1950, be held in this office on Wednesday, 23 August 1950 at 10 A.M.

Attest:


SECRETARY.

In Board

23 August 1950

All Present.

In accordance with the vote of 21 August 1950, the drawing of names of candidates for the office of City Councillor (Ward 7, Special Election) to determine the order in which such names shall be printed upon the official ballot was held this day, Wednesday, 23 August, and the order in which such names were drawn by the Election Commissioners is as follows:

Michael J. Harney176 H Street
Frank J. Guaragna73 Sumner Street
Edward C. Carroll234 L Street (Mass. Senate 1932-38)
Jerome Patrick Troy22 Chase Street
Leo J. McCarty77 Clapp Street
John J. McColgan23 Colonel Michael J. McDonough Way

VOTED to publish the list of candidates to be voted for at the Special Election, 12 September 1950, in the following newspapers on Tuesday, 5 September 1950:

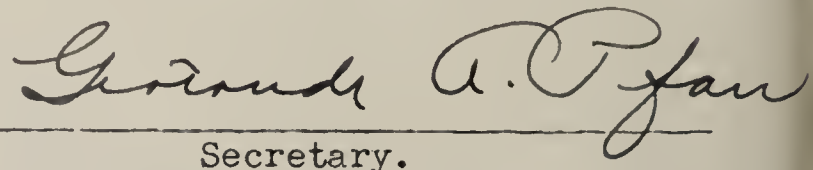
Globe	Traveler	American
Post	Christian Science Monitor	Record
	Herald	

For COUNCILLOR	(To Fill Vacancy)	Vote for ONE
	(Unexpired Term)	

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, for week ending 22 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,628.89

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, for week ending 22 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 671.29

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

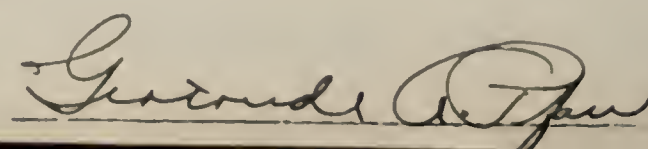
25 August 1950

All Present.

VOTED to approve locations of polling places, 362 in number, in accordance with agreements on file in this office for the use of private buildings; leases for lots of land; and letters of approval for the use of public buildings, schools, housing projects and public libraries. These locations are to be used at the STATE PRIMARIES to be held on 19 September 1950, and at the STATE ELECTION to be held on 7 November 1950.

VOTED that polling places in Ward 7 to be used for the Special City Election be the same as those to be used for the State Primaries and State Election, in accordance with agreements on file in this office.

Attest:

 Secretary.

In Board

30 August 1950

All Present.

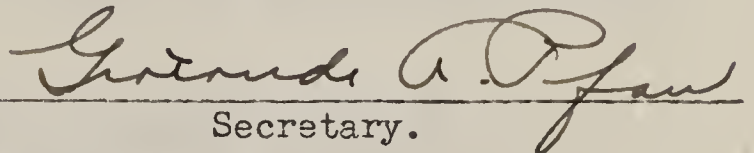
At meeting of the Board held this day it was unanimously voted to request the Secretary of State to provide ballot labels for voting machines in such form that separate voting machines can be used for Democrats and Republicans at the State Primaries, to be held on Tuesday, 19 September 1950.

Copy of this vote was sent by messenger to Edward J. Cronin, Esq., Secretary of the Commonwealth - and the Board requested favorable consideration of its action.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 29 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to ...\$3,469.33

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 29 August 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to ... 613.75

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 September 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of City Employees from other city departments who served as Extra Outside Assistant Registrars in Ward Registration Places during the period from 14 August to 18 August, inclusive, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$847.50

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of regular Outside Assistant Registrars who served in Ward Registration Places during the period from 7 August to 18 August, inclusive, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to \$3,909.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of Custodians of Ward Registration Places who served during the period from 7 August to 18 August, inclusive, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 1,305.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 5 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 3,506.15

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 5 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 642.52

(over)

VOTED to publish the state Primary Call on Tuesday, 12 September 1950, in the following newspapers:

Globe
Post

Traveler
Christian Science Monitor
Herald

American
Record

CITY OF BOSTON
PRIMARY CALL
STATE PRIMARIES

Board of Election Commissioners,
111 City Hall Annex, Boston

IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of law, notice is hereby given that meetings of members of the Democratic and Republican political parties in this city, qualified to vote, will be held in the several polling places, designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on

**Tuesday, the 19th Day of
September, 1950**

and all such members will on such date in the several precincts in which they are entitled to vote, give in their votes for candidates for nomination for Representatives in Congress and for State Officers.

The polls at said meetings will open at 8 o'clock A. M. and will close at 8 o'clock P. M.

The polling places at said meetings will be the same as the ones used at the City Election held on November 8, 1949, except in the following instances: Ward 4, Precinct 9; Ward 5, Precinct 5; Ward 10, Precinct 12; Ward 11, Precinct 15; Ward 12, Precinct 15; Ward 14, Precinct 11; Ward 16, Precinct 6; Ward 16, Precinct 8; Ward 19, Precinct 5; Ward 20, Precinct 1; Ward 21, Precinct 16; Ward 22, Precinct 2.

In these precincts the voters will be notified where such meetings will be held. Information as to the locations of polling places may be obtained at the office of the Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, Boston.

JOSEPH RUSSO
EVERETT R. PROUT
GERTRUDE A. PFAU
J. JOSEPH CONNORS,
Board of Election Commissioners,

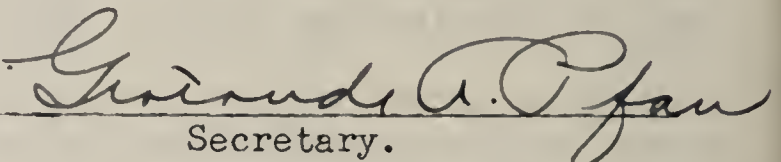
VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period, effective 6 September 1950 at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

N. Charles Crossen, 164 Florence Street, Roslindale
Thomas M. Cusack, 50 Antwerp Street, Brighton
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, 47 E Street, So. Boston
Thomas J. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dorchester
Francis B. Kenney, 10 Dresden St., J. P.

* John J. O'Connor, 114 Heath St., Roxbury

* effective 13 September 1950

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

12 September 1950

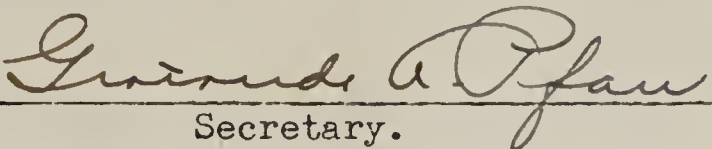
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Rollof permanent employes, for week ending 12 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to3,804.94

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 12 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 661.70

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

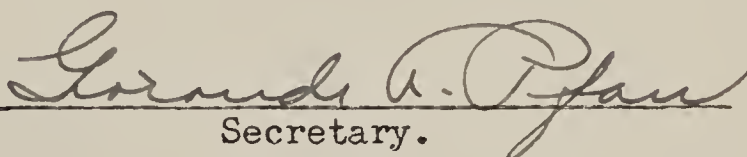
14 September 1950

All Present

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers at the Special Election in Ward 7 on 12 September:

18 Wardens	@ \$15.	\$270.	
18 Clerks	@ 15.	270.	
72 Inspectors	@ 13.	<u>936.</u>	\$1,476.

Attest:


Secretary.


In Board

15 September 1950

All Present.

VOTED to appoint Outside Assistant Registrars for the year ending 30 September 1951, in accordance with list on file in this office, and to qualify them at this office on Friday, 22 September 1950, at 7.30 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

19 September 1950

All Present.

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 19 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,567.52

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in office, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 1,243.71

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 19 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 623.34

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes in office, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 149.04

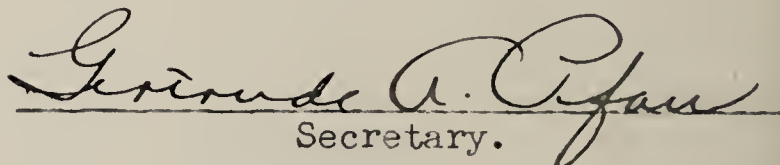
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of School-houses where voting machines were demonstrated, amounting to 127.50

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of polling places in Ward 7 at the Special Election held on 12 September 1950, amounting to 219.57

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of RICHARD C. DIMARE of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, as an electrician in this department for a three-month period at the yearly salary of \$3000., effective 19 September 1950.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint ARTHUR F. DRAKE of 157 West Concord Street, a Provisional Assistant Registrar of Voters for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500., effective 25 September 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

22 September 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

At 5 o'clock P.M. this day the time for filing recount petitions for the State Primaries expired. Petitions for the following recounts were received in this office prior to that time

DEMOCRATIC

Governor's Councillor, 4th District, Wards 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17

(continued)

State Senator, 5th Suffolk District, Wards 9, 11, 19

Representatives in General Court, Wards 3, 7, 10, 11, 15, 19

When checking of the above petitions was completed, the following was found to be INVALID:

Representatives in General Court, Ward 10

VOTED to begin the recount in Ward 3 on Tuesday, 26 September at 10 o'clock a.m. Notice to that effect was duly mailed to all affected candidates, notifying them that recount would open at Precinct 1, Eliot School, Charter Street, and from that point was to proceed to other precincts in the ward.

VOTED to proceed on Wednesday, 27 September 1950, with the recount in voting machine precincts affected by the filing of recount petitions, and to notify candidates accordingly.

VOTED to open the recount in paper ballot precincts affected by the filing of recount petitions on Friday, 29 September 1950, and to notify candidates effected at the close of the voting machine precinct recounts.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

26 September 1950

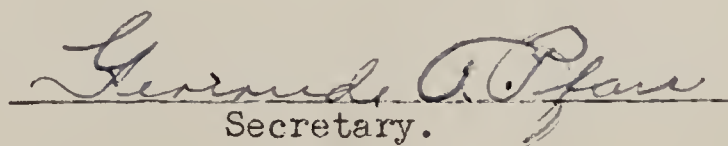
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 26 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to\$3,567.52

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 26 September 1950, as per copy on file in this office, amounting to 565.80

Attest:


Secretary.

Friday, 29 September 1950

At meeting of the Board held this day Mr. M. Stephen McCrann of the Retirement Board acted as Board stenographer. The following is his stenographic report:

Meeting of the Board of Election Commissioners held at the Office of the Election Commissioners, City Hall Annex, Boston, Massachusetts, on Friday, September 29, 1950, with Chairman Joseph Russo presiding and the following members of the Board Present: J. Joseph Connors, Gertrude A. Pfau, and Everett R. Prout.

The following were present and were represented by counsel: John F. Collins and Vincent A. Mannering.

The Law Department was represented by: James W. Kelleher and William H. Kerr.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Joseph Russo:

We have the petition of John F. Collins of Roxbury, County of Suffolk, a duly registered voter and candidate for the office of Senator in the 5th Suffolk District, whereas, the said John F. Collins has seasonably and in proper form protested the validity of said petition of Vincent A. Mannering.

1. That a hearing be held on the validity of the petition for recount of votes cast in Wards 9, 11, and 19 with said senatorial district by said Vincent A. Mannering.

2. That your honorable commission rule as a matter of law that in order to resolve the issues presented by said petition the votes cast in Ward 10 within the said Senatorial District be recounted.

3. That the protest of said John F. Collins and this petition be made a part of the official record.

A motion was made by the Chairman that the petition be placed on file: The motion was seconded by Commissioner Everett R. Prout.

Commissioner Connors moved that the recount be resumed.

The attorney for John F. Collins, Mr. Sullivan, requested that they be heard on the petition for the purpose of letting the Board know that it was not frivolous to question the validity of the petition for recount.

Mr. Collins stated that he wanted a ruling and was entitled to be heard on the petition.

Commissioner Connors stated that over two hundred citizens signed a petition for a recount and they too were entitled to be heard.

Mr. Collins stated that part of his legal redress was taking place in this room this morning and he was present to exercise his right.

The Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners stated that he has asked the Law Department in this morning to advise him with respect to the petition.

Mr. Kelleher of the Law Department stated that the Law Department had advised the Board that they may properly place the petition on file and take it under advisement which does not mean that Mr. Collins had lost any rights with respect to the petition and as he understood the motion it was simply a motion to place it on file and take it under advisement for the moment.

Mr. Collins thanked the Commission for calling in the Law Department and treating the matter with more seriousness.

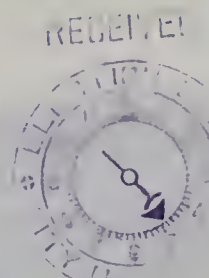
The Chairman then made the motion that they place the protest on file and take it under advisement and all in favor say: Yea and those not in favor: Nay. There were no dissenters.

To Joseph Russo; J. Joseph Connors, Gertrude Pfau and Everett Prout, as they are members of the and constitute the Board of Registrars of Voters of the City of Boston.

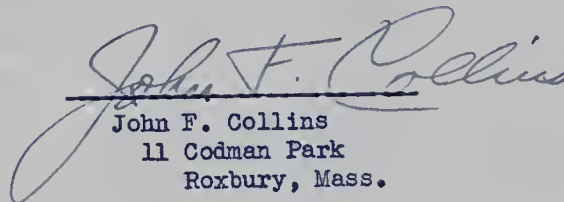
PETITIONS FOR RECOUNTS IN WARDS 9, 11 and 19 FOR THE OFFICE OF SENATOR IN THE

FIFTH SUFFOLK DISTRICT.

PROTEST AGAINST SAID PETITIONS.



I, John F. Collins, residing at 11 Codman Park, Roxbury, being a duly registered voter in Ward 11, Precinct 5 SEP 26 1950 the City of Boston and being a candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Senator in the Fifth Suffolk District; and therefore being a party interested in the Petitions for recounts specified in the heading, hereby protest the validity of said petitions on the grounds that they do not contain the signatures of a sufficient number of enrolled voters of the Democratic Party as required by law in that many signatures contained in said petitions were placed thereon by fraud and are not the signatures of the voters which they purport to be and that said petitions are invalid in other respects because they do not comply with the mandatory requirements of general laws, Chapter 54, Section 135.


John F. Collins
11 Codman Park
Roxbury, Mass.

All Present.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employes, for week ending
3 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,567.52

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
3 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 632.93

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in
office, as per copy on file, amounting to 2,613.01

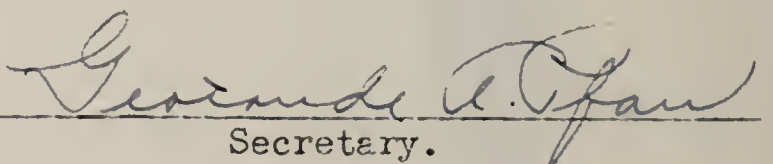
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes in
office, as per copy on file, amounting to 369.36

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime due employes of other city
departments who worked in excess of their regular working hours for the
Election Department at the STATE PRIMARIES, amounting to 670.88

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers at the
STATE PRIMARIES, Tuesday, 19 September 1950, as follows:

362 Wardens	@ \$15.	\$5,430.	
362 Clerks	@ 15.	5,430.	
1448 Inspectors	@ 13.	18,824.	
1 Inspector	@ 3.50	3.50	
1 Inspector	@ 9.50	<u>9.50</u>	\$29,697.00

Attest:


Secretary.

The recount of ballots cast at the State Primaries, 19 September 1950, for the following offices

COUNCILLOR (Fourth District) Wards 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17

SENATOR (Fifth ") Wards 9, 11, 19

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Wards 3, 7, 11, 15, 19

was declared completed this day. (The recount in the voting machine precincts was conducted by two teams (each team comprising two commissioners). The examination of voting machines where recounts had been petitioned was completed 28 September. The recount of paper ballots where recounts had been petitioned opened on 29 September and was completed this day, 6 October.

The recount effected no change in results of the election as previously declared.

The Board this day granted a hearing to Mr. Daniel J. Dempsey of 41 Tremont Street, Boston, attorney for John P. Hanley, who was a candidate at the State Primaries for the Democratic nomination as Representative in the 10th Suffolk District, which includes Wards 10 and 11 of the City of Boston.

In addition to the full Board and Messrs. Dempsey and Hanley, there were present Mr. Frank Reilly, representing the press, and Mr. Kerr of the Law Department.

The Board listened to all arguments after which Commissioner Prout moved that this Board affirm its previous decision not to recount the votes in Ward 10 in the House of Representatives contest on the grounds that the Board has no jurisdiction for that no valid petition for such recount was filed.

The motion was seconded, put, and the vote was as follows:

Voting YesCommissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Voting Present ...Commissioner Connors

The Board then took the following Council Orders under consideration:

- (1) ORDERED: That the Board of Election Commissioners be requested, through His Honor the Mayor, to take the necessary steps to provide for the use of paper ballots at the State Election on November 7th next, due to the fact that there has been too much confusion in the operation of voting machines.

It was unanimously voted to place this request on file, acknowledge receipt of same, and inform the City Council that there is no provision in the law which would permit the Board to comply with this request.

- (2) ORDERED: That the Board of Election Commissioners be requested, through

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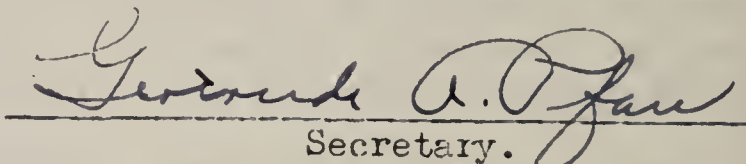
His Honor the Mayor, to hold registration this present week at both registration points in each ward in order that adequate facilities might be made available to those people desirous of becoming registered.

Inasmuch as the order reached us too late (registration closing on 6 October) no action was taken on this matter. It was voted to acknowledge receipt of same.

- (3) ORDERED: That His Honor the Mayor request that the election commissioners open up all registration precincts for a one-week period for the purpose of providing information in the method of use of the voting machines to be used in this State Election, and that all such instruction periods be provided during the day and the night for an entire week to be designated by the election commissioners.

The Board voted to hold demonstration of voting machines in Wards 5 to 22, inclusive, and in Room 103 of City Hall Annex for Wards 1 to 4, inclusive. The places, dates and hours for holding the same to be announced later. It was further voted to notify the Council of said decision.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

10 October 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

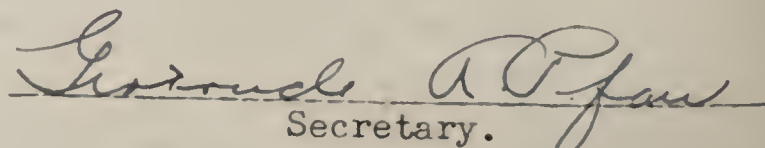
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 10 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,506.15

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 10 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 642.52

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in office, as per copy on file, amounting to 1,290.39

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes in office, as per copy on file, amounting to 108.00

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

17 October 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 17 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,555.25

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 17 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 527.44

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Outside Assistant Registrars who served in the 22 wards of the city during the period of evening registration, 25 September to 6 October, amounting to 2,830.50

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Polling Places on day of STATE PRIMARIES, 19 September, amounting to 3,832.69

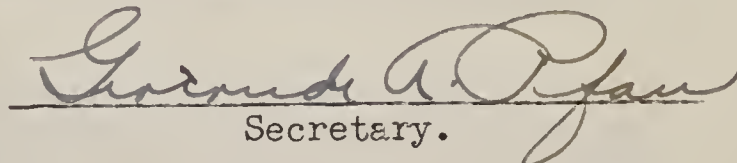
VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period at the yearly salary of \$2500.

Effective Date

Alfred J. O'Donnell, 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston 17 October 1950

Salvatore J. Silvestro, 42 Green Street, Boston 26 " "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 October 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 24 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.51

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 24 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 450.72

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in office, as per copy on file, amounting to 315.88

(over)

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Outside Ward Registration Places during period from 25 September to 6 October, inclusive, as per copy on file, amounting to\$1,080.00

VOTED to grant military leave, without pay, to ENRICO CAMERLENGO of 53 Willow Street, West Roxbury, Assistant Registrar of Voters in this office at the yearly salary of \$3200., effective 25 October 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

31 October 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 31 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,493.88


VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 31 October 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 517.85

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for employes in this office, as per copy on file, amounting to 379.30

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

	<u>Salary rate</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Rosl.	\$3000. yr.	6 November
Charles D. Spellman, 103 Calumet St., Rox.	" "	1 "
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., W. Rox.	2500. "	2 "
Robert N. Johnson, 42 W. Eagle St., E. B.	" "	1 "
John J. Powers, 10 Lorraine Ter., Bri.	" "	8 "
Karol Kostka, 15 Staniford St., Boston	" "	9 "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

1 November 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau


Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to transfer Mr. Generoso Musto of 6 Baldwin Place, Boston, from the Registry Department where he is now employed as a permanent clerk at \$2400. to the Voting Division of this department as a Clerk at the same salary.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint the following-named men for a ten day emergency period beginning 2 November 1950, at the yearly rate of \$2500.

Edward W. Calkins, 7 Fossdale Road, Dorchester
Charles Cavalier, 54 McBride St., Jamaica Plain
George T. Corbett, 352 Huntington Avenue, Hyde Park

Attest:


Secretary.

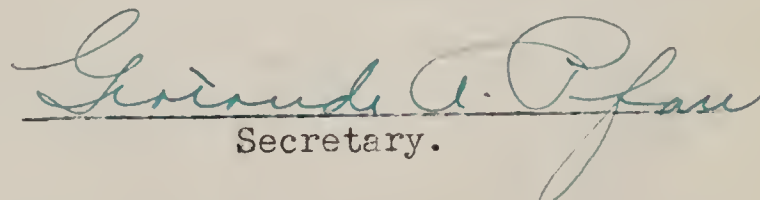
In Board

2 November 1950

All Present.

VOTED to permit one representative of each of the two major political parties to act as CHECKER for his party outside the rails on Tuesday, 7 November 1950, the day of the State Election, and to notify the Police Commissioner to this effect to prevent any misunderstanding or confusion at the polls.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

7 November 1950

All Present.


VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 7 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,493.88

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for employes in this office, as per copy on file, amounting to 324.09
Weekly

VOTED to approve/Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 7 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.03

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of School-used to demonstrate voting machines on the evenings of November 2 and 3rd, amounting to 127.50

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 November 1950

On motion of Mr. Prout it was unanimously voted that notice of meeting be waived.

Meeting was called to order at 4.45 p.m., all members of the Board being present. Also present were Mr. William H. Kerr and Mr. J. Edward Keefe of the Law Department.

On motion of Mr. Prout it was unanimously voted that the Board place the affidavit of Mrs. Hester R. Fitzgerald, Clerk of Ward 4, Precinct 9, at the State Election, in the election records of that precinct and make it available to the public.

Mr. Prout moved that Mr. McGlue and Senator Innes acting as Attorneys in the interest of the candidates involved be invited before the Board to partake in the discussion.

On motion of Miss Pfau it was unanimously voted that the Board adjourn subject to the call of the chair.

Chapter 54, Section 111, was read to the Board and those present by Mr. McGlue, who requested that this citation be incorporated in the records of the Board.

"In state and city elections, the aldermen and city clerk, and in state elections the selectmen and town clerk of towns divided into voting precincts, shall forthwith after such election examine the copies of the records of the election officers, and if any error appears therein, they shall forthwith give

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notice thereof to the officers by whom the error was made, who shall forthwith make an additional record under oath in conformity with the facts and deliver a copy thereof to the city or town clerk. Such copy of the records made, with or without notice as aforesaid, shall be received by the city or town clerk at any time before the last day fixed for the transmission of copies of records of the votes cast in the city or town, or on which the results of the election are required to be declared.

The aldermen and city clerk, and the selectmen and town clerk, shall examine all original and all additional copies of the records and make them part of the records of such election, and shall certify and attest copies of the records of votes for the several candidates."

Mr. Kerr stated that regardless of which way the Corporation Counsel rules the only proper action is for all parties to file for recount, and thus to protect the rights of the candidates they represent.

Mr. Prout moved that the meeting be adjourned, and it was seconded by Miss Pfau, put, and unanimously carried.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 November 1950

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 14 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,506.15

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in this office, as per copy on file, amounting to 1,957.18

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes in this office, as per copy on file, amounting to 401.58

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 14 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 824.73

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 November 1950

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman - and all members were present. Also present were Mr. Kelleher and Mr. Kerr of the Law Department.

Mr. Prout moved that upon the advice of the Law Department the Board accept as an official record of the election in Ward 4, Precinct 9, for purpose of transmittal to the office of the Secretary of State, the "blue book" signed by ~~by~~ Hester R. Fitzgerald, Clerk of said precinct, in which she certifies to the total number of names of voters checked on the voting lists, the total number of ballots cast, the names of all persons voted for, the number of votes for each person and the title of the office for which he was a candidate, the number of blank ballots for each office, and the number of affirmative and negative votes in answer to any question submitted to the voters, as set forth in the G. L. Chap. 54, Sec. 105, as amended.

The above motion was seconded - the vote being as follows:

YES - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Commissioner Connors dissenting

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 November 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Pfau and Connors.

At 5 o'clock P.M. this day the time for filing recount petitions for the State Election expired. Petitions for the following recounts were received in this office prior to that time:

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

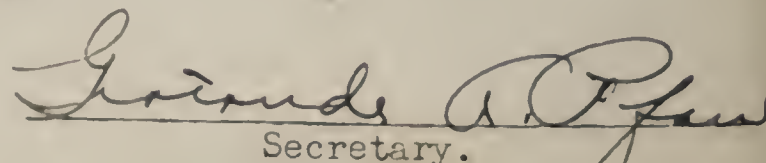
Fourth Suffolk District

Eighth " "

Twentieth " "

No action was taken at this time in reference to setting the date for the opening of the recounts.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 November 1950

Meeting was called to order at 2.30 p.m., all members of the Board being present. Also present was Mr. William H. Kerr of the Law Department.

Recorded the receipt of protest filed by Mr. Charles H. McGlue, attorney for Thomas H. Spurr, Jr., which was filed at this office on Tuesday, 14 November, at 5.14 p.m.

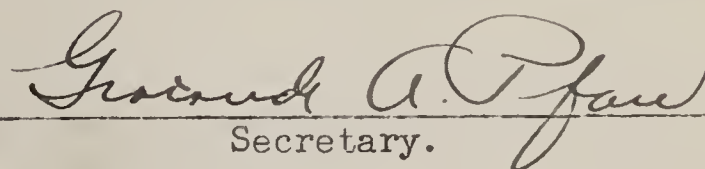
in voting machine precincts

VOTED to begin the recount/in accordance with the following schedule:

MONDAY, 20 November	10 A.M.	Ward 8	Prec. 2 Joshua Bates School, Harrison Ave. Proceed to Precincts 12 and 10
" " "	2 P.M.	Ward 21	Prec. 1 William McKinley School, St. Mary's St., Near Mountfort Street Proceed to Precincts 14 and 15
" " "	4 P.M.	Ward 4	Prec. 10 Public Latin School, Avenue Louis Pasteur--then to proceed.

Notices to that effect were duly mailed to all affected candidates.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

17 November 1950

All Present.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers at the STATE ELECTION, Tuesday, 7 November 1950, as follows:

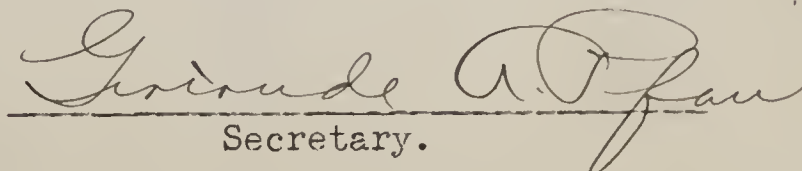
362	Wardens	@ \$15.	\$5,430.	
362	Clerks	@ 15.	5,430.	
1448	Inspectors	@ 13.	<u>18,824.</u>	\$29,684.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime due employees of other city departments who worked in excess of their regular working hours for the Election Department at the STATE ELECTION, amounting to \$521.01

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employees, for week ending 21 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 3,490.81

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary employees, for week ending 21 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.03

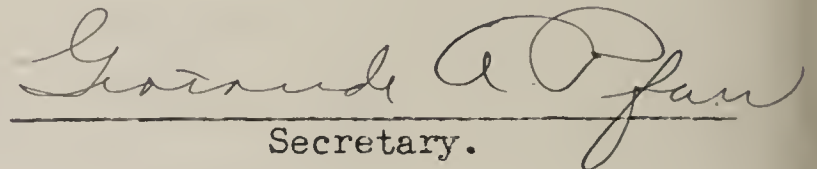
Attest:


Secretary.

Monday, 20 November 1950

The Board met at the William McKinley School, St. Mary's Street, near Mountfort Street, it being Precinct 1 of Ward 21, where voting machines had been used at the recent State Election, and where a recount petition had been filed for Representatives in General Court from said district. Before examining the machines the Board met at 2.20 P.M. and listened to the protest of Mr. William F. A. Graham on the recount petition filed in behalf of John William Linzee, Jr. Mr. Graham's exceptions were noted, and the Board voted to proceed with the recount.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

22 November 1950

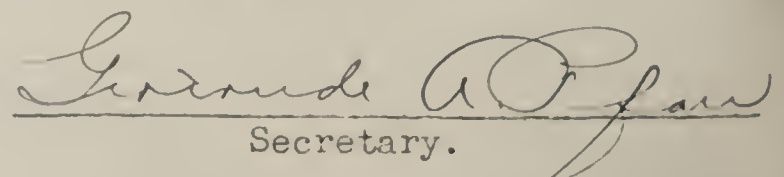
All Present. 11 A.M.

The papers prepared by employes in the Election Department for transmission by the Election Commissioners to the State Secretary under G. L.(Ter. Ed.), Chap. 54, Sec. 112, as amended, were laid before the Board, together with a communication to the State Secretary from Commissioner J. Joseph Connors with respect to his position as to the votes for Representatives in General Court for Ward 4.

Upon motion by Commissioner Prout, seconded by Commissioner Pfau, the Commission voted to adopt as their signatures the rubber stamp signatures appearing on all papers prepared by said employes, except those relating to votes for Representatives in General Court for Ward 4. Thereupon the members of the Commission, excepting Commissioner J. Joseph Connors, signed the papers prepared by the employes in the Election Department with respect to the votes for Representatives in General Court for Ward 4.

Upon motion of Commissioner Russo, seconded by Commissioner Prout, it was voted to transmit forthwith to the State Secretary all aforesaid papers prepared by the employes of the Election Department, together with the aforesaid communication signed by Commissioner Connors.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

22 November 1950

Meeting was called to order at 3.30 p.m., all members of the Board being present. Also present were Mr. William F. A. Graham representing Vincent F. Cronin; Mr. Sidney Rosenberg representing Thomas H. Spurr, Jr., and Mr. Charles Innes representing John D. Brown--candidates for Representatives in General Court, Fourth Suffolk District.

Motion made by Commissioner Pfau to grant the request made by Senator Innes for an opportunity to examine the official return books and the record books for Ward 4. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Prout. Vote was taken - the vote being as follows:

Yes - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

No - Commissioner Connors

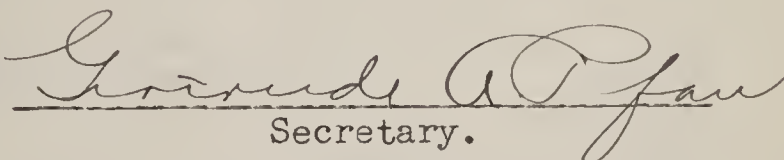
Mr. Graham requested permission to examine these records, not wishing to forfeit any of his rights.

Mr. Innes at this time requested an opportunity to examine the check list made at the polls on Election Day, 7 November 1950, in Ward 4. General discussion then followed on this request.

On motion made by Commissioner Prout and seconded by Commissioner Pfau it was voted to immediately furnish Senator Innes with a certified copy of the voting list as checked at the polls in Ward 4 on Election Day, 7 November.

It was also voted to furnish the Chairman of the Ward 21 Republican Committee a certified copy of the voting list as checked at the polls on Election Day, 7 November.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 November 1950

All Present.

The recount of ballots cast at the STATE ELECTION, 7 November 1950, for REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT--4th, 8th and 20th Suffolk District was declared completed this day. The examination of voting machines where recounts had been petitioned was completed 21 November 1950. The recount of paper ballots where recounts had been petitioned opened on 22 November and was completed this day, 27 November 1950. (See vote 22 Nov. 1950)

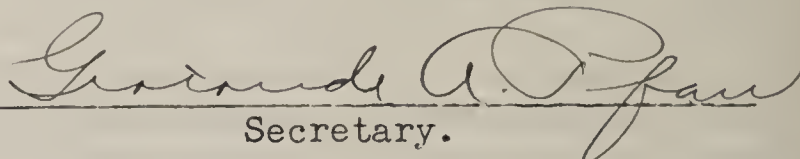
The recount effected the following changes in the results of the election as previously declared:

		<u>Original Return</u>	<u>Recount</u>
REPRESENTATIVES, General Court	) Boynton	4,586	4,598
Fourth Suffolk District) Brown	4,683	4,681
) Cronin	4,900	4,905
) Spurr	4,678	4,790

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As a result of this recount in the FOURTH SUFFOLK DISTRICT, JOHN D. BROWN, originally declared elected was found to be not elected, and THOMAS H. SPURR, JR. was elected in his stead.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 November 1950

All Present.

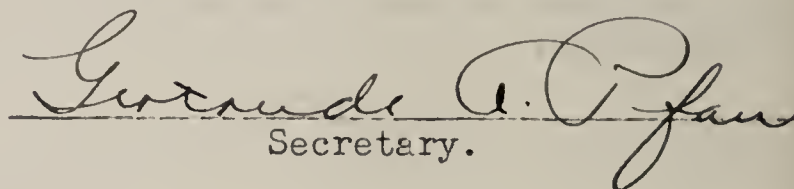
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 28 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,490.81

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 28 November 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 527.44

Joseph A. Calkins, Assistant in the department, is to be retired from active service on 30 November 1950, having reached the retirement age, 70 years.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 December 1950

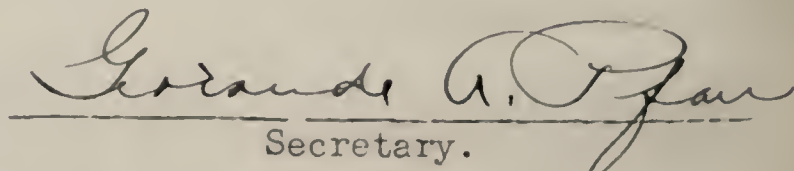
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 5 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,459.36

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 5 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 517.85

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

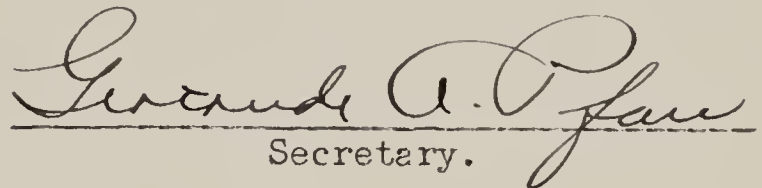
6 December 1950

All Present.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period, effective 6 December 1950, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

N. Charles Crossen, 164 Florence St., West Roxbury
Thomas M. Cusack, 50 Antwerp St., Brighton
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, 47 E Street, South Boston
Thomas J. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dorchester

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

12 December 1950

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

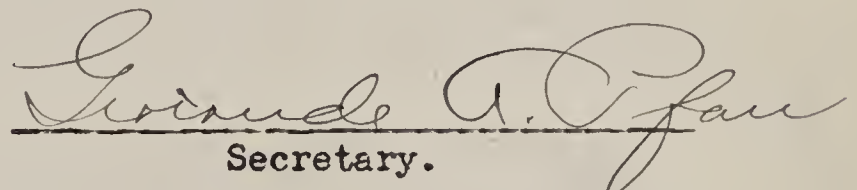
VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to change the rating of Margaret L. Lang from Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar to Executive Secretary, and to adjust her compensation from her present rate of \$4200. the year to \$4500. the year, with annual increments of \$200-200-100. until maximum of \$5000. is reached, to be effective 20 December 1950.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 12 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to.....\$3,486.98

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 12 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 469.90

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of RICHARD C. DIMARE of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, as an electrician in this department for a three-month period at the yearly salary of \$3000., effective 19 December 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

19 December 1950

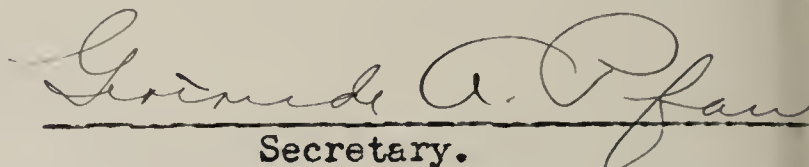
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 19 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,527.25

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 19 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 469.90

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board A . . . ,

22 December 1950

All Present.

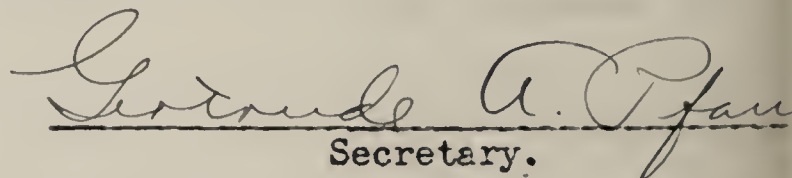
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 26 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to /.....\$3,281.78

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 26 December 1950, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 469.90

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ARTHUR F. DRAKE of 157 West Concord Street, as a provisional assistant registrar for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500., effective 25 December 1950.

Attest:


Secretary.

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau.

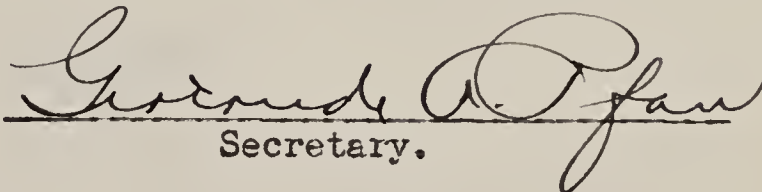
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employees in this office, for week ending 2 January 1951, in accordance with copy on file, amounting to .3,425.61*

60% charged to 1950 appropriation.....	\$2,055.37
40% " " 1951 " 	1,370.24

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employees in this office, as per copy on file, for week ending 2 January 1951, amounting to 489.08*

60% charged to 1950 appropriation.....	293.45
40% " " 1951 " 	195.63

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

9 January 1951.

All Present.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent employees, for week ending 9 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,385.33

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary employees, for week ending 9 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 489.08

VOTED that the official stamp of the Board containing facsimiles of the signatures of members of the Board be used for the year 1951 for the purpose of certifying on nomination papers and petitions the number of signatures which are the names of registered voters.

VOTED that said facsimile stamp be used in certifying the returns of any persons who are candidates for public office and also any questions that may appear upon the ballot.

VOTED that the Commissioners' individual facsimile stamps be used on applications for qualifications of members of the armed forces as absentee voters and on applications for absentee ballots for those in the armed forces.

VOTED to authorize the employees of the department working under the direction of the Board to use facsimile stamps - Board or individual - for specified purposes as need may arise in connection with essential work of the department.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint MICHAEL J. YOVANNA of 4 Wesley Place, Boston, as a provisional assistant registrar for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500., effective 10 January 1951.

Attest:

 Secretary.

In Board

16 January 1951

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

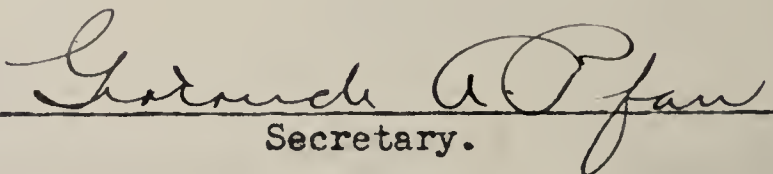
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 16 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,419.85

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 16 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 402.77

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ALFRED J. O'DONNELL, 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston, effective 17 January, 1951, and SALVATORE J. SILVESTRO, 42 Green St., Boston, effective 26 January 1951, as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500.

VOTED to submit budget estimates covering anticipated departmental expenses for 1951. The total of such estimates is \$520,156.33.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

23 January 1951

All Present.

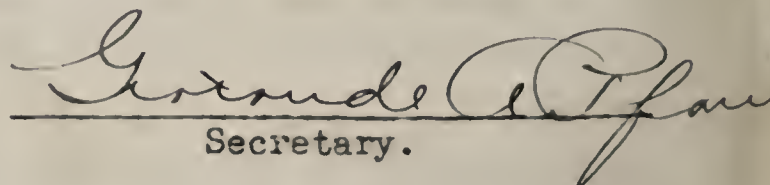
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 23 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,419.85

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 23 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 584.98

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of JOHN A. MAYR of 6 Greenville Street, Roxbury, as a Voting Machine Custodian for a period of six months, at the yearly salary of \$3800., effective 17 January 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 January 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint JOHN J. REILLY of 20 Sharon Street, Boston, as "Chief Voting Machine Custodian" at the salary rate of \$4100. the year, effective 31 January 1951. Mr. Reilly has been employed in this temporary capacity for several years, and as an eligible civil service list has been established for this position with Mr. Reilly No. 1 on said list, the Board feels that his permanent appointment is in the best interests of the department.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote PETER J. LYNCH of 38 Taunton Avenue, Hyde Park from Assistant Registrar at \$3800. to Assistant at \$4000., to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Joseph A. Calkins--said promotion to become effective 14 February 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

29 January 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout, Pfau and Connors


Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 30 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,419.85

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 30 January 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

	<u>Salary rate</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Peter F. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Roslindale	\$3000. yr.	6 February
Charles D. Spellman, 103 Calumet St., Roxbury	" "	1 "
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., West Roxbury	2500. "	2 "
Karol Kostka, 15 Staniford St., Boston	" "	9 "

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the temporary promotion of GEORGE R. NICHOLS as "Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar" for a period of six months, effective 1 February 1951, at the salary rate of \$3900. the year. 

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 February 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

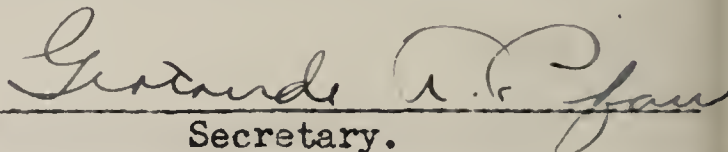
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
6 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,400.86

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
6 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 479.49

VOTED to accept Annual Report of department as on file in this office and
to have the following edition printed:

200 cloth bound reports
500 paper bound reports

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

12 February 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout, Pfau and Connors

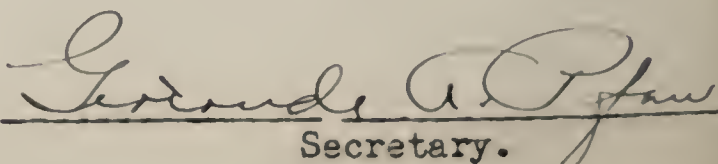
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
13 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,389.36

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
13 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 513.06

VOTED to summons prospective jurors and examine them in this office during
the hours from 9 A.M. to 7 P.M. in the following wards on the dates set
forth below:

Wards 1 - 2 .....	...on March 5
2 - 3	" " 7
3 - 4 - 5 ..	" " 9
5 - 6 - 7	" " 12
7 - 8 - 9	" " 14
9 - 10 - 11	" " 16
11 - 12	" " 19
13 - 15	" " 21
16 - 17	" " 26
17 - 18	" " 28
18 - 19 - 20	" " 30
20 - 21	" April 2
21 - 22	" " 4
14	" " 6

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

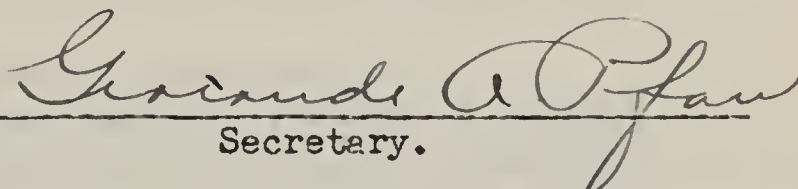
19 February 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
20 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,425.41

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
20 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 513.06

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 February 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

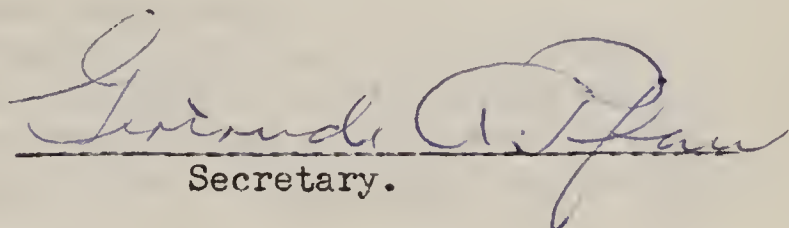
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
27 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,446.88

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
27 February 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.03

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period, effective 6 March 1951, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

N. Charles Crossen, 164 Florence St., Roslindale
Thomas M. Cusack, 50 Antwerp St., Brighton
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, 47 E Street, South Boston
Thomas J. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dorchester

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 February 1951

Present - Commissioners Prout and Pfau

The following communications were this day received from the Boston Retirement Board:

C O P Y

27 February 1951

Joseph Russo, Chairman
Election Department
City Hall, Boston

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith letter of resignation from Francis A. Cronin, employed as Assistant Registrar in the Election Department, who attained the age of seventy on February 22, 1951, and who prefers the return of his accumulated deductions instead of a small retirement allowance.

Accordingly, in accordance with the provisions of the Boston Retirement Act, he should not appear on a city payroll after February 28, 1951.

Very truly yours,

/S/ W. D. Kenney,
Secretary and Executive Officer

C O P Y

27 February 1951

Boston Retirement Board
Room 65 City Hall
Boston, Mass.

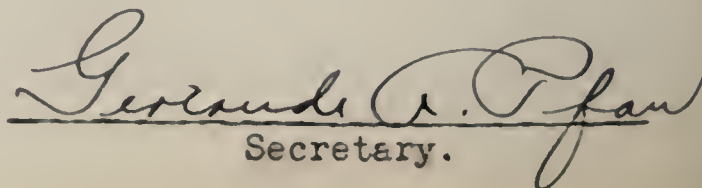
Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned member of the Boston Retirement System having reached the age of seventy and not having enough service to give me a suitable pension, do hereby make application for the return of my accumulated deductions standing to my credit in the Annuity Savings Fund, together with regular interest thereon.

I hereby resign effective at the close of business 28 February 1951 for the reason that I was seventy years of age on 22 February 1951.

/S/ Francis A. Cronin
28 Asticou Road, Jamaica Plain

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

6 March 1951

All Present.

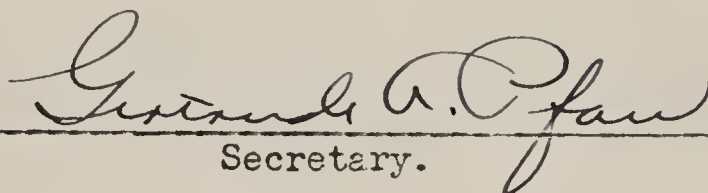
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
6 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,420.80

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
6 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 508.26

VOTED to accept leases covering occupancy of lots of land as sites for voting
booths for 1951 in accordance with copies on file in this office.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 March 1951

All Present.

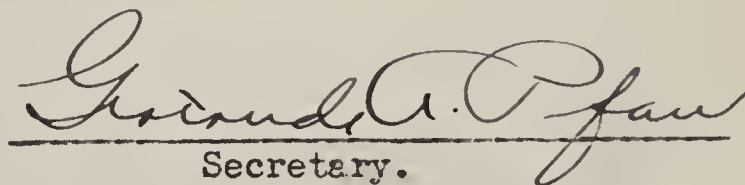
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
13 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,320.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
13 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment
of RICHARD C. DIMARE of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, as an electrician in this
department for a three-month period at the yearly salary of \$3000., effective
19 March 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

20 March 1951

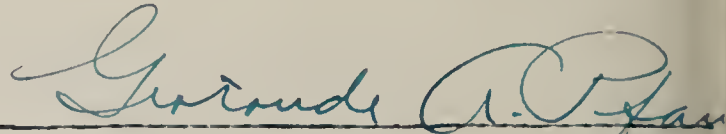
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
20 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,320.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
20 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 460.31

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board


21 March 1951

All Present.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote William H. O'Brien of 282 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, from Assistant Registrar at \$3,200. to Voting Machine Custodian at \$3,800., to become effective 28 March 1951. An eligible civil service list has been established for this promotion and said William H. O'Brien is No. 1 on said list.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote John A. Mayr of 6 Greenville Street, Roxbury, from Voting Machine Custodian (Temporary) at \$3,800. to Voting Machine Custodian (Permanent) at \$3,800., to become effective on 28 March 1951. An eligible civil service list has been established for this promotion and said John A. Mayr is No. 2 on said list.

Attest:


Secretary.

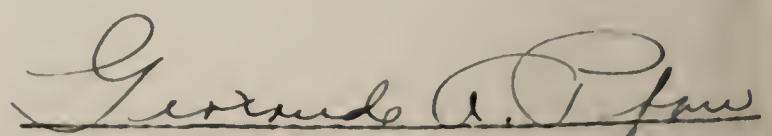
In Board

23 March 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ARTHUR F. DRAKE of 157 West Concord Street, as a provisional assistant registrar for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500., effective 25 March 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 March 1951

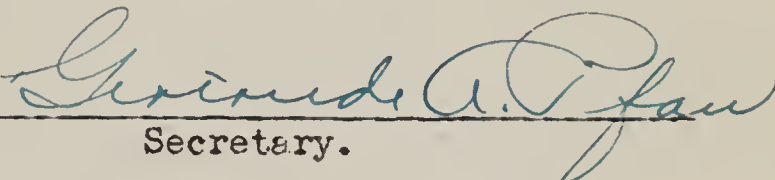
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 27 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,343.32

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 27 March 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

2 April 1951

The following communication was received in this office as of this day:

CITY of BOSTON *** OFFICE of the CITY CLERK

City Hall, March 30, 1951.

Miss Gertrude A. Pfau

Dear Madam:

I have the honor to inform you that you have been duly appointed by the Mayor, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, to be an Election Commissioner for the term ending March 31, 1955.

You are required to be sworn before acting under this appointment.

/S/ W. J. Malloy, City Clerk.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Suffolk, ss.

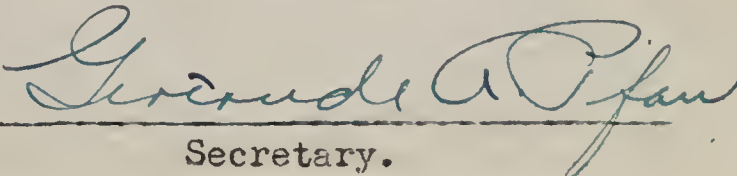
Boston, April 2, 1951

Personally appeared - Gertrude A. Pfau - above named and made oath that she would faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on her in the office aforesaid.

Before me,

/S/ Walter J. Malloy, City Clerk

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

3 April 1951

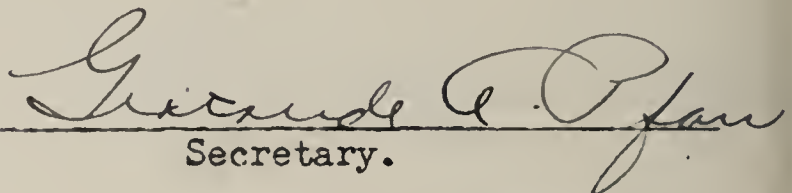
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 3 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,331.82

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 3 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 393.18

Attest:


Secretary.

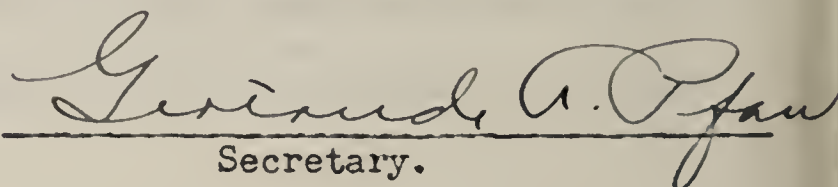
In Board

4 April 1951

All Present.

At meeting held this day the members of the Board had general discussion on the question of insurance on voting machines. It was moved by Commissioner Prout and seconded by Commissioner Connors that the matter be laid on the table until Thursday, 5 April 1951. This motion was carried. Meeting adjourned.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

9 April 1951

All Present.

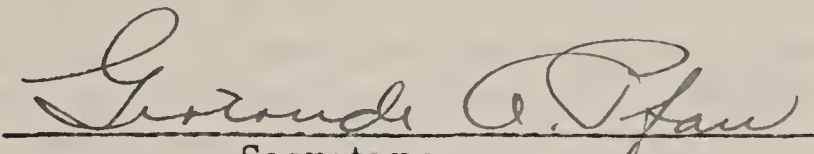
In accordance with the governing statute (Sections 111 and 111E of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 475 of the Acts of 1949), the provision of which is summarized as follows:

"All Civil Service employes who have actually worked for the City of Boston for thirty weeks in the aggregate during the preceding calendar year, shall be granted during the calendar year a two weeks' vacation."

it was unanimously voted to grant CHARLES F. HENER, Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar, a two weeks vacation with pay, effective 4 April 1951 and ending 17 April 1951. Mr. Hener was retired from active service on his own application under date of 3 April 1951, the Mayor having approved his retirement application under date of 28 March 1951. See application on file.

VOTED unanimously to remove the voting booth from lot of land on the corner of Belgrade Avenue and West Roxbury Parkway, and to establish the polling place for Ward 20, Precinct 8, in the garage located beside the property at 361 Belgrade Avenue, West Roxbury--this offer having been made by the Clay Chevrolet, Inc. , 361 Belgrade Avenue, West Roxbury.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

10 April 1951

All Present.

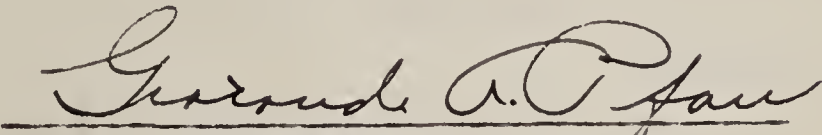
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 10 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,427.73

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 10 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 417.16

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for employes who worked in excess of their regular hours during period in which examination of prospective jurors was being held (see copy on file in office), amounting to 427.26

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

17 April 1951

All Present.

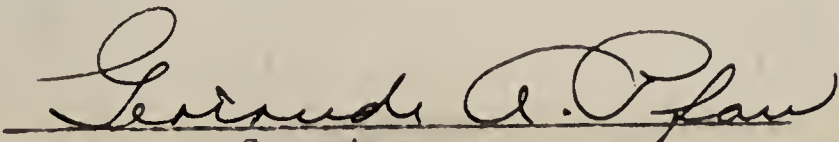
Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 17 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,295.19

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 17 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 393.18

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ALFRED J. O'DONNELL, 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston, effective 17 April 1951, and SALVATORE J. SILVESTRO, 42 Green St., Boston, effective 26 April 1951, as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months, at the yearly salary of \$2500.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

23 April 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
24 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,362.12

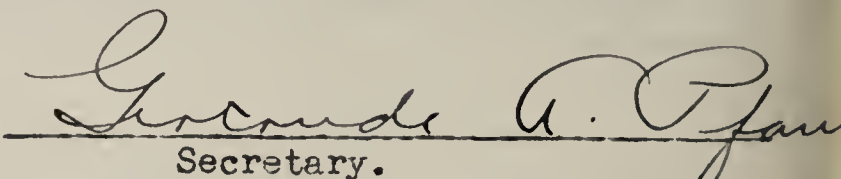
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
24 April 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint ROBERT N. JOHNSON of 451 Meridian Street, East Boston, a temporary assistant registrar of voters for a period of three months; effective 25 April 1951, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year. Mr. Johnson had been previously employed in said capacity and has been absent on leave without pay since 31 October 1950.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

	<u>Salary rate</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Peter R. Coleman, Jr., 4089 Washington St., Roslindale	\$3000. yr.	6 May
Charles D. Spellman, 103 Calumet St., Roxbury	" "	1 "
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., W. Roxbury	2500. "	2 "
Karol Kostka, 15 Staniford St., Boston	2500. "	9 "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 April 1951

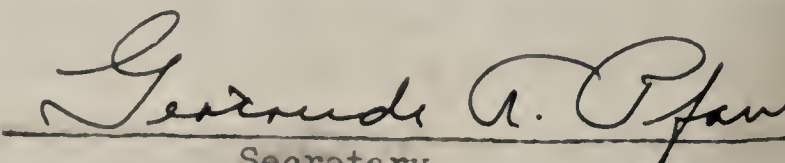
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending
1 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,326.07

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending
1 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

8 May 1951

All Present.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 8 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,264.70

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 8 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 537.03

The Board met this day to consider the awarding of the contract for the transportation, within the city, of Shoup voting machines from one location to another at various times.

After some discussion concerning the \$3.00 handling charge, the Board was assured by the Chairman that the extra \$3.00 was a Union requirement for the handling charge of each machine.

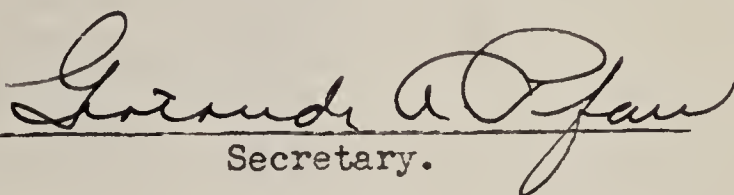
On motion made and duly seconded it was voted to request permission of His Honor the Mayor to award the contract, without public advertisement, to ~~the~~ P. A. Milan, Inc., 200 Milk Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

Commissioner Connors requested to be recorded as voting "No", and requested that the following be incorporated in the minutes of the meeting:

"That the present contract is in excess of the prior contract, and it should be open to competitive bidding."

Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau voted "Yes".

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 May 1951

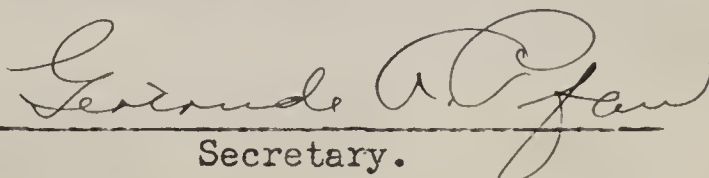
All Present.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 15 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,253.19

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 15 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 474.70

VOTED, in accordance with instructions from His Honor the Mayor, to grant a \$5.00 per week increase to all permanent employes, and to all temporary employes who have had continuous service in excess of one year--said general increase to become effective 6 June 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

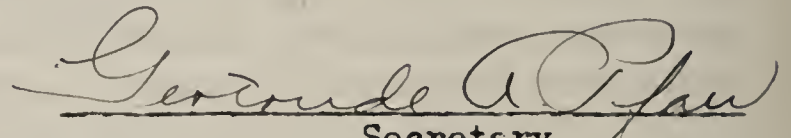
In Board

17 May 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to appoint JAMES J. O'HALLORAN of 51 Faneuil Street, Brighton, an Assistant Registrar of Voters for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year, effective upon approval of His Honor the Mayor.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

22 May 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

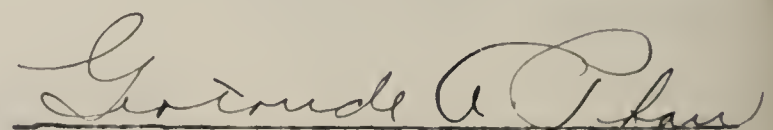
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 22 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,332.01

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 22 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 383.59

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period, effective 6 June 1951, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

N. Charles Crossen, 164 Florence St., Roslindale
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, 47 E Street, South Boston
Thomas J. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dorchester

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

29 May 1951

.. All Present.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 29 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,430.98

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 29 May 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 441.13

VOTED to have printed the following number of First Printed Voting Lists for the year 1951:

400 copies non-descriptive with party enrolment
18 " descriptive " " "

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

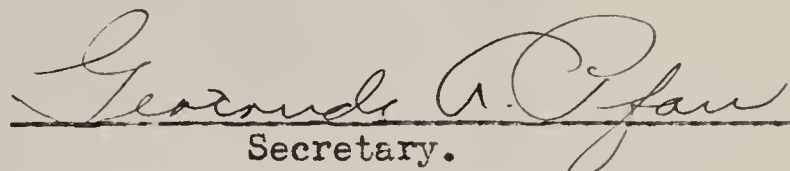
29 May 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three-months, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

Charles S. Carroll, 28 Monument Ave., Charlestown
Albert G. Tobin, 58 Pinehurst St., Roslindale
John L. Pagliarulo, 206 East Eagle St., E. Boston
John J. Waite, 81 Richmond Street, Dorchester

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

31 May 1951

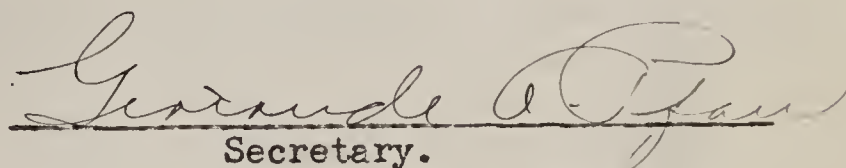
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

Theodore V. Anzalone, 89 White Street, East Boston
Walter Connaughton, 7 Meadowbrook Avenue, Mattapan
Edward J. Pearl, 32 Brookside Avenue, Jamaica Plain
* Joseph DiMaina, 249 Hanover Street, Boston

* 30-day emergency appointment.

Attest:


Secretary.

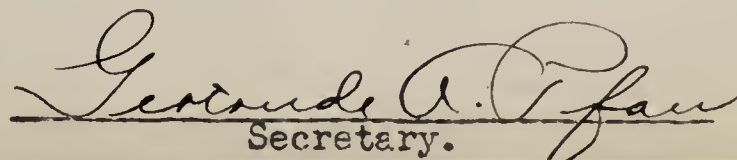
1 June 1951.

Coun. Coffey

The Board was informed by ~~the Mayor~~ ^{the Mayor}, at meeting of department heads held this day, that ~~he~~ had forwarded to the City Council an ordinance increasing the compensation of the heads of departments and other employees whose salaries are established under section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, in order that these officials shall be given the increase (\$5.00 weekly) already provided for the other city employees. Under this ordinance the election commissioners shall receive as salaries as follows:

Chairman\$7,760. - - - 3 Commissioners.....\$6,760. each

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

5 June 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

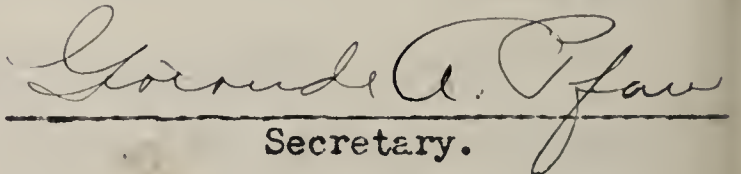
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 5 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,197.76

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 5 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 575.39

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$2500. the year:

- Frank A. DeBellis, 21 Charter St., Boston
- Nicholas F. Gatto, 31 Firth Road, Roslindale
- Joseph A. Saponaro, 89 Grady Court, East Boston
- * Robert Cavaghan, 141 Lexington Street, East Boston
- Edgar H. Hopgood, 152A Huntington Avenue, Boston
- * 30-day emergency appointment

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 June 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

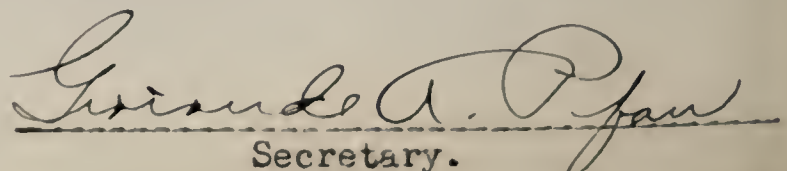
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 12 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,576.56

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 12 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 614.98

VOTED, in accordance with instructions from Budget Commissioner John A. Sullivan, to grant a \$5.00 per week increase to all temporary employes, retroactive to 6 June 1951. Upon further advice from the Budget Commissioner, it was voted that the established fixed minimum salary of \$2300. for Assistant Registrars be considered in granting this increase to all those recently appointed, thus fixing the salary of \$2560. yearly or \$49.11 weekly for said Assistant Registrars.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, and effective upon such approval, to extend the employment of RICHARD C. DiMARE of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, as an electrician in this department for a three-month period at the weekly salary of \$62.53--present appointment expires on 18 June 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

19 June 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 19 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,696.20

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 19 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,841.38

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$49.11 weekly:

Rudolph DeMarco, 8 Lewis Street, Boston

John C. Centracchio, Jr., 61 West Eagle St., E.B.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of ARTHUR F. DRAKE of 157 West Concord Street, as a provisional assistant registrar for a period of three months, at the weekly salary of \$52.95-- present appointment expires 24 June 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

26 June 1951

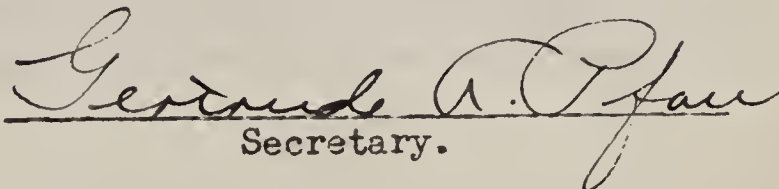
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 26 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,224.17

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 26 June 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,133.69

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 June 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

There came before the Board the following written request from James S. Coffey of 451 Meridian Street, East Boston:

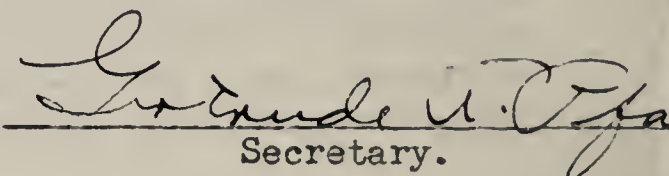
"I request the Board of Election Commissioners to allow me to use the following statement on my nomination papers:--

Present City Councillor Ward 1 - Former Representative - Veteran

Upon motion made by Commissioner Pfau and seconded by Commissioner Prout it was VOTED that the request be denied. Voting "Yea" 3; Voting "Nay" 0; Voting "Present" 1.

A true copy.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 June 1951

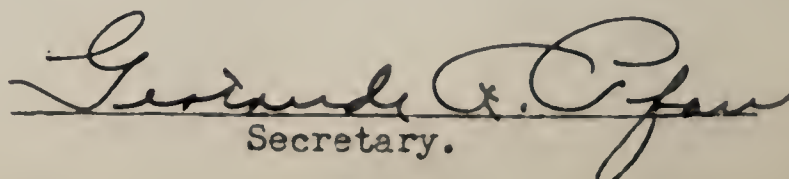
Present - Commissioners Russo, Pfau and Prout

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote PETER J. LYNCH of 38 Taunton Avenue, Hyde Park, from (Provisional) Assistant at \$81.71 weekly to Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar (Permanent) at \$83.63 weekly, to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Charles F. Hener on 3 April 1951. An eligible civil service list has been established for this position with Mr. Lynch No. 1 on said list, and the Board feels that this promotion is in the best interests of the department. (Promotion to be effective 11 July 1951)

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote ROBERT M. MacRitchie of 7 Waldorf St., Dorchester, from Assistant Registrar at \$66.37 weekly to Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar at \$79.79 weekly, effective 11 July 1951. Mr. George R. Nichols has been employed in this position in a temporary capacity since June of 1946, and as an eligible civil service list has now been established with Mr. MacRitchie No. 2 on said list, the Board feels that his promotion is in the best interests of the department.

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, and effective 11 July 1951 for six months or pending results of civil service examination, to appoint George R. Nichols of 1 Sachem Street, Roxbury, as "Provisional Assistant" at \$79.79 weekly. Mr. Nichols has currently been employed as "Provisional Deputy Chief Assistant Registrar" at the same salary.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

29 June 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau


Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to have the Jury List, as duly prepared in accordance with law and on file in this office, delivered to the persons set forth below:

- 1 Mayor
- 2 City Clerk
- 1 Clerk, Suffolk Superior Civil Court
- 14 Asst. Clerks, Superior Civil Court
- 1 Clerk, Superior Criminal Court
- 2 Asst. Clerks, Superior Criminal Court
- 1 District Attorney
- 1 Clerk, U. S. District Court
- 2 Clerk to Chief Justice, Superior Court
- 1 Clerk of Committees

The jury lists designated above were delivered by hand by Mr. Edward P. Kennedy, Executive Clerk and Assistant Registrar in this department, and Mr. Peter F. Coleman, Jr., Provisional Assistant Registrar in this department, on Friday, 29 June 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

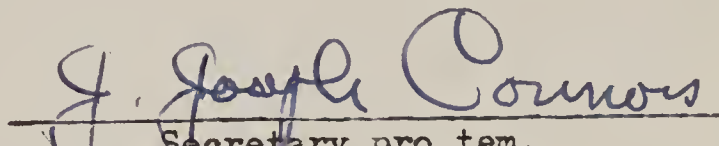
2 July 1951

Present - Commissioner Connors (Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau on vacation)

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, for week ending 3 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,007.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, for week ending 3 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,232.68

Attest:


Secretary pro tem.



JOHN B. HYNES
MAYOR

CITY OF BOSTON
BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS
III CITY HALL ANNEX

COMMISSIONERS
JOSEPH RUSSO
CHAIRMAN
EVERETT R. PROUT
GERTRUDE A. PFAU
SECRETARY
J. JOSEPH CONNORS

July 9, 1951

In Board -- Present: Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau, and Connors

There came before the Board the following written demand from
James S. Coffey of 451 Meridian Street, East Boston:

July 9, 1951

To the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston

I hereby severally demand:

(1) That I be permitted to subscribe this day, in a book kept for that purpose by your Board, a statement of candidacy in the following form:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

CITY OF BOSTON

Statement of Candidacy

I, James S. Coffey, under the pains and penalties of perjury declare that I reside at 451 Meridian Street in Ward 1 of the City of Boston; that I am a registered voter of said City duly qualified to vote for a candidate for the office hereinafter mentioned; that I am a candidate for nomination for the office of City Councillor; that I request that my name be printed as such candidate on the official ballot to be used at the preliminary municipal election to be held on Tuesday, September 25, 1951, for the purpose of nominating candidates for election to such office; and that I also request that my nomination petition contain the following statement concerning the elective public offices now or formerly held by me:- Present City Councillor - Former Representative - Veteran.

/S/ James S. Coffey

Signature of Candidate

In Board

10 July 1951

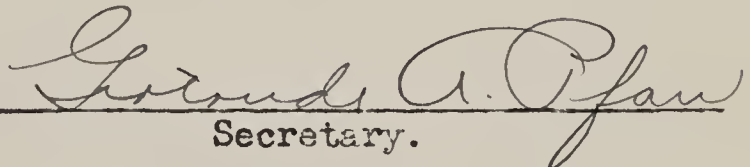
All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 10 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,185.23

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 10 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to1,218.34

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

17 July 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employes, for week ending 17 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,110.88

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes in office, as per copy on file, amounting to 70.05

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering temporary employes, for week ending 17 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,290.82

VOTED to hold evening sessions of Ward Registration in local offices from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. on the following dates:

August 22, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, September 4 and 5

October 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16 and 17

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$49.11 weekly:

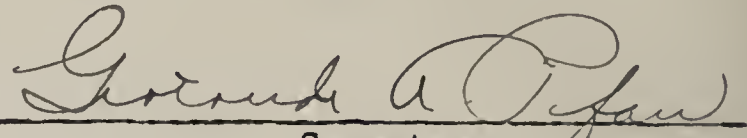
William M. Ennis, 68 Stockton Street, Dorchester
Robert T. Fife, 619 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury
Salvatore Freddura, 350 Hanover Street, Boston
George L. Hurley, 95 Baldwin Street, Charlestown
Stephen Albert Karol, 18 Bellflower St., Dorchester
Paul Gregor Kinsella, 149 Arlington St., Brighton 35
Diego P. Lanza, 365 Savin Hill Avenue, Dorchester
John W. Shanley, Jr., 6 Silloway St., Dorchester
Joseph Corry Silva, 45 Greenwich St., Roxbury
John Teehan, 65 Birch St., Roslindale

(over)

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months, at the weekly salary of \$52.95:

	<u>Present appointment</u> <u>Expires</u>
Alfred J. O'Donnell, 3 Linsky Barry Court, South Boston	17 July
Salvatore J. Silvestro, 42 Green St., Boston	26 July
Robert N. Johnson, 451 Meridian St., East Boston	25 July

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 July 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 24 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,194.51

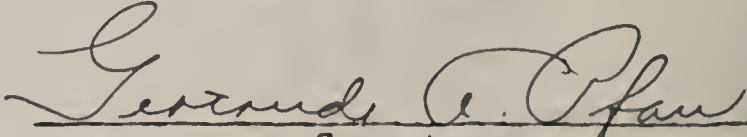
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 24 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,648.85

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$49.11 weekly:

Robert D. McGrath, 123 Weld Street, Roslindale
Robert L. Marshall, 28 Edwin Street, Dorchester

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint Joseph DiMaina of 249 Hanover Street, Boston, as an Emergency Assistant Registrar for a thirty-day period, at the salary rate of \$49.11 weekly. This represents the second thirty-day appointment for Mr. DiMaina within 1951 and is in compliance with civil service regulations.

Attest:


Secretary.

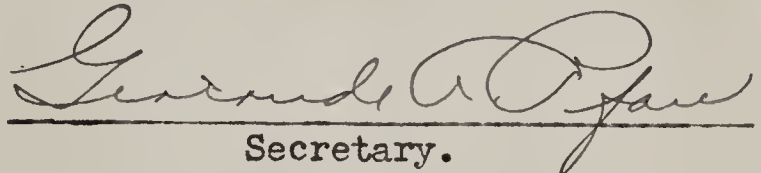
In Board

26 July 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors; also
Mr. William H. Kerr of the Law Department

VOTED the Assistant Registrars be instructed to eliminate noting the number of the nomination petition sheet on the list of registered voters used in certifying signatures on nomination petitions--the Board having been orally advised by an attorney on the staff of the Law Department that such notation is not required by law.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

30 July 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Record of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 31 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$4,239.53

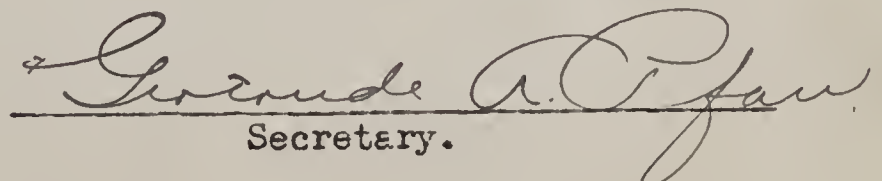
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 31 July 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,616.42

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a period of three months:

	<u>Weekly Rate</u>	<u>Present appointment</u> <u>Expires</u>
Peter F. Coleman, Jr. 4089 Washington St., Rosl.	\$62.53	5 August
Karol Kostka, 15 Staniford St., Boston	52.95	8 August
Ernest Camerlengo, 49 Willow St., West Roxbury	52.95	1 August

Mr. William U. Kane, permanent assistant registrar in this department, has requested a transfer from this office to the Boston City Hospital as "House Worker". The necessary papers have been processed and said transfer will become effective 15 August 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

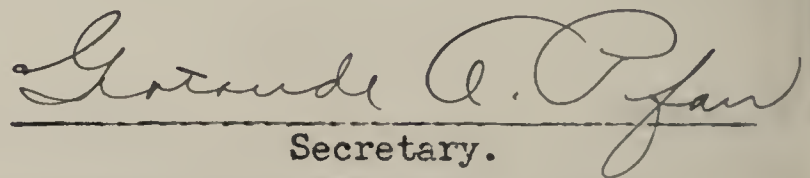
In Board

31 July 1951

All Present.

On motion made by Commissioner Russo and seconded by Commissioner Prout it was unanimously voted that this Board's record of the returns of votes given for the office of City Councillor in Ward 9 at the election held November 8, 1949 be amended, as directed by the writ of mandamus issued this day by the Suffolk Superior Court in case no. 438420, by reducing the number of blanks from 481 to 459 and by increasing the votes for Laurence H. Banks from 4371 to 4393; that no change be made in said record of the votes cast for Daniel F. Sullivan, the 11 votes directed by said writ of mandamus to be counted for said Sullivan having been counted for him in the recount; and that a certificate of election be issued to Laurence H. Banks.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

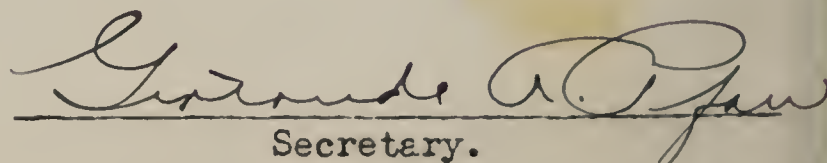
1 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to appoint the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a thirty-day period, at the salary rate of \$49.11 weekly.

Salvatore J. DiMare, 43 Norman St., Boston
Walter J. Freeley, 127 Conant St., Roxbury
Salvatore J. Lombardo, 28 Harvard St., Chas.
John F. Gilboy, 55 Alton Court, Roxbury
Joseph F. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dor.
Moy Gar On, 147 Tyler St., Boston
Francis V. Doyle, 50 Fenwood Rd., Roxbury
Charles D. Martin, 34 Owencroft Rd., Matt.
John S. Russell, Jr., 186 Neponset Ave., Dor.
John J. Bowen, 16 Maple St., W. Roxbury
George W. Arnold, 629 Gallivan Blvd., Dor.
Frank Truscello, 1346 Dorchester Ave., Dor.
Stephen H. Vinal, 21 Belden St., Dor.
John E. Waters, 14 Montfern Ave., Bri.
Frank C. Tracy, 5 New Heath St., Rox.
Ralph Maglio, 7 Antrim St., E. B.
Harry J. Elam, 7 Rockland St., Rox.
Charles J. Kalell, 179 Webster St., E. B.
Joseph Leto, 191 Porter St., E. B.
Henry Szymczuk, 908 Dorchester Ave., Dor.

Attest:


Secretary.

7 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 7 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,325.31

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 7 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,681.06

Under this date the Board received a request from Coleman G. Coyne of 24 Keystone Street, West Roxbury, asking for a hearing relative to the filing of his nomination papers within the time prescribed by law.

VOTED to notify said Coleman G. Coyne to appear before the Boston Ballot Law Commission on Monday, 13 August 1951, at 1.45 p.m., when he will be given an opportunity to be heard on such matter.

Under date of 2 August 1951 a petition was filed by Philip J. Diehl of 68 Appleton Street, Boston, in which he protested the nomination papers of James M. Curley, John B. Hynes, and Joseph F. Timilty--candidates for Mayor. No date was set for Mr. Diehl to be heard on this matter at this time.

The following is a copy of the return on the writ of mandamus issued under date of 31 July 1951 by the Suffolk Superior Court in Case No. 438420:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SUPERIOR COURT

Suffolk, ss.

No. 438420

LAURENCE H. BANKS,
Petitioner,

vs.

J. JOSEPH CONNORS and others
constituting the BOARD OF ELECTION
COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
Respondents,

and

DANIEL F. SULLIVAN,
Intervenor.

RETURN ON WRIT OF MANDAMUS.

Now come J. Joseph Connors, Everett R. Prout, Gertrude A. Pfau, and Joseph Russo (as he is successor in office to Joseph A. Langone, Jr.), as they are the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and say that on the thirty-first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one, immediately after the receipt of the writ of mandamus issued on said date in the above-entitled cause and without delay, they counted the votes contained in the thirty-four protested ballots offered in evidence and numbered Exhibits 15 to 48, inclusive, as determined by the Judge of this Honorable Court, and thereupon forthwith amended their records to accord with such count and thereupon forthwith issued a certificate of election to the

petitioner Laurence H. Banks as the duly elected City
Councillor from Ward 9.

/S/	J. Joseph Connors)
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/S/	Everett R. Prout)
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/S/	Gertrude A. Pfau)
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/S/	Joseph Russo)
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as they are the
Board of Election
Commissioners of
the City of Boston

In Board

10 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

On this day Mr. Coleman G. Coyne withdrew his protest relative to the filing of his nomination papers within the time prescribed by law. Hearing before the Ballot Law Commission scheduled for Monday, 13 August 1951, at 1.45 P.M. was thereby cancelled.

VOTED, in compliance with the provisions of law, to appoint Election Officers in accordance with list on file in this office to serve from 1 September 1951 to 1 September 1952.

VOTED to qualify Election Officers in accordance with the following schedule:

Thursday, September 6

Central Office (Election Department)Commissioner Russo
Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

Thursday, September 6

Municipal Building, South BostonCommissioner Connors
Wards 6 and 7

Roxbury Court HouseCommissioner Pfau
Wards 9, 10, 11 (Prec. 1 to 8)

Municipal Building, Columbia RoadCommissioner Prout
Wards 13 and 15

Friday, September 7

Dorchester High School (Girls'), Codman SquareCommissioner Connors
Wards 14, 16 and 17

West Roxbury CourthouseCommissioner Pfau
Ward 11 (Prec. 9 to 16) Wards 18 and 19

High School of Practical ArtsCommissioner Prout
Wards 8 and 12

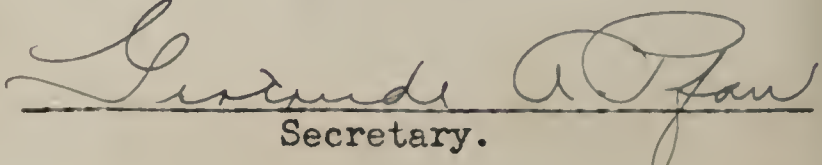
Monday, September 10

Brighton Municipal Bldg., 20 Chestnut Hill Ave.Commissioner Connors
Wards 21 and 22

Municipal Bldg., Cummins HighwayCommissioner Pfau
Ward 20

VOTED, that the polls at the Preliminary Election to be held on TUESDAY, 25 SEPTEMBER 1951, be open from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 14 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$2,983.13

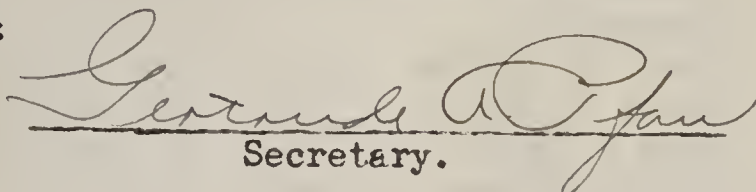
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 14 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 3,546.15

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes up to and including 14 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,698.93

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes up to and including 14 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,925.27

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to extend the employment of JAMES J. O'HALLORAN of 51 Faneuil Street, Brighton, as a Provisional Assistant Registrar for a period of three months, at the weekly salary rate of \$49.11--present appointment expires 14 August 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

21 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 21 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,650.71

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 21 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,579.76

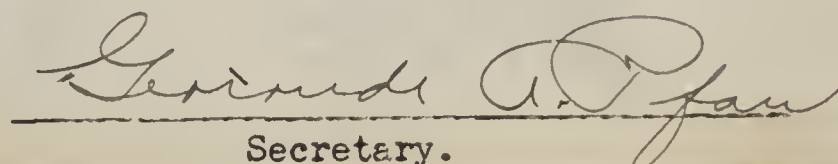
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes up to and including 21 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 579.45

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes up to and including 21 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,035.37

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars for a period of three months, at the salary rate of \$52.95 weekly--present appointment expires 5 September 1951:

N. Charles Crossen, 164 Florence St., Roslindale
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, 47 E Street, South Boston
Thomas J. Garrity, 228 Geneva Ave., Dorchester

Attest:


Secretary.

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

The Board commenced the certification of nomination papers on 21 August and completed such certification on this day, 22 August 1951, at 4 o'clock P. M. The following results appear:

Certified as CANDIDATES for NOMINATION for the office of MAYOR at Preliminary Municipal Election

James M. Curley	350 Jamaicaway	Ward 19
John B. Hynes	31 Druid Street	17
Thomas J. O'Brien	75A Clifton Street	8
Joseph F. Timilty	120 Beacon Street	18

Certified as CANDIDATES for NOMINATION for the office of CITY COUNCILLOR at Preliminary Municipal Election

Francis X. Ahearn	16 Gerald Road	22
Julius Ansel	22 Wales Street	14
Laurence H. Banks	23 Haskins Street	9
Thomas J. Belmonte	578 East Eighth Street	7
Joseph Beth	42 Estrella Street	14
Robert E. Bigney	532 East Broadway	6
Walter D. Bryan	18 Alhambra Street	20
James A. Burke	32 George Street	18
Michael Herbert Cantwell	4 Violante Street	18
Enrico Cappucci	176 Orient Avenue	1
Perlie Dyar Chase	136 Huntington Avenue	4
James S. Coffey	451 Meridian Street	1
John Patrick Connolly	16 Chamblett Street	13
Francis X. Coyne	73 Hamilton Street	15
Kathleen T. Ryan Dacey	23 Forsyth Street	4
Patrick J. Desmond	5 Richview Street	16
John A. Dolan	11 Elko Street	22
John E. Driscoll	132 Paul Gore Street	19
Joseph Driscoll	28 Blakeville Street	15
Benjamin M. Ellis	225 Beacon Street	5
Albert L. Fish	4 Rundel Park	16
John F. Fitzgerald	3 Rundel Park	16
John I. Fitzgerald	34 Irving Street	3
Anita G. Flaherty	929 East Broadway	6
William J. Foley, Jr.	388 West Fourth Street	6
Lee M. Friedman	206 Bay State Road	5
Owen Gallagher	664 Columbia Road	7
William A. Glynn	864 Columbus Avenue	9
Frank J. Guaragna	73 Sumner Street	7
Frederick C. Hailer, Jr.	4100 Washington Street	19
Matthew F. Hanley	308 Amory Street	11
Thomas J. Hannon	15 Hartford Street	13
Charles E. Hughes	50 Rosewood Street	18
William F. Hurley	76 Mount Pleasant Avenue	8
Edward A. Hutchinson, Jr.	238 Savin Hill Avenue	13
William P. Intraversato	12 Isabella Street	5
Francis X. Joyce	10 Southwick Street	16
Thomas F. Kennedy	238 Hyde Park Avenue	19
John E. Kerrigan	213 West Eighth Street	7

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(continued from preceding page)--CITY COUNCILLOR

Michael Leo Kinsella	7 Belmont Street	Ward 2
Edmond V. Lane	1666 Commonwealth Avenue	21
Frederick C. Langone	149 Endicott Street	3
George T. Lanigan	20 North Anderson Street	3
Rico Matera	1223 Bennington Street	1
John J. McColgan	17 Dawes Street	7
Thomas L. McCormack	30 Orchard Street	19
Daniel J. McDevitt	238 South Huntington Avenue	10
Joseph McDonough	8 Hancock Street	3
Edward P. McDuffee	60 Fenway	4
Edward M. McMahon	15 Kearsarge Avenue	12
Vincent Mottola	20 Dustin Street	22
Clement A. Norton	33 Myopia Road	18
George F. Oakes	290 Metropolitan Avenue	18
Edward O'Brien	7 Milford Street	3
Laura M. O'Brien	331 Seaver Street	14
Gabriel Francis Piemonte	20 Prince Street	3
John E. Powers	145 Stoughton Street	13
Robert J. Ramsey	39 Cameron Street	15
John J. Sawtelle	259 Gallivan Boulevard	17
Harry L. Silva	151 Columbia Road	14
Orlando Q. Spagnoletti	134 St. Mary's Street	21
Patrick Gilbert Sullivan	92 Codman Hill Avenue	17
Francis Patrick Tracey	66 Calumet Street	10
Michael J. Ward	51 Wallingford Road	21
John B. Wenzler	514 East Broadway	6
Joseph C. White	12 Ruskin Street	20
John E. Yerxa	81 Beacon Street	5

Certified as CANDIDATES for NOMINATION for the office of SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN
at Preliminary Municipal Election

Ruth M. Batson	14 Woodrow Wilson Court	8
Anthony L. Bruno	63 Brooks Street	1
James L. Burley	261 Columbia Road	14
Paul J. Burns	100 Morton Street	11
William F. Carr	390 K Street	7
Arthur F. Collins, Jr.	198 Norfolk Avenue	8
John J. Concannon	1679 Dorchester Avenue	16
Stephen John Connolly	5 Brown Avenue	19
Peter J. DeRosa	36 Lyon Street	15
James E. Downey	235 Wachusett Street	19
Anthony J. Farin	7 Packard Avenue	17
Mary K. Fitzgerald	103 Charles Street	5
T. Edward Fitzgerald	29 Evergreen Street	10
Patrick J. Foley	505 East Broadway	6
Murray Gateman	118 Hutchings Street	12
Arthur C. Hasiotis	1642 Commonwealth Avenue	21
Joseph Lee	43 South Russell Street	3
Alice Lyons	76 Moraine Street	19

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Thomas F. McCready	171 Forest Hills Street	Ward 11
Timothy J. McInerney	21 Iroquois Street	10
Isadore H. Y. Muchnick	38 Gleason Street	14
Frederic J. Muldoon	3 Mapleton Street	22
Louis F. Musco	111 Church Street	20
James E. Reilly	49 High Street	2
Edward F. Riley	24 Chambers Street	3
David D. Scannell, Jr.	85 May Street	19
Vincent J. Shanley	73 Parsons Street	22
John P. Shepard	18 Belmont Street	2
Daniel F. Sullivan	9 Highland Street	9
Francis A. Sullivan	92 Wordsworth Street	1
John D. Sullivan,	65 O'Reilly Way	2
George F. Swasey, Jr.	32 Druid Street	17
Lawrence P. Trainor —	27 Vineland Street	22
Joseph C. Tomasello	733 Washington Street	22
Jerome Patrick Troy	22 Chase Street	7
Albert West	65 Saratoga Street	1
Edward F. White	Way Building, Fairmount Avenue	18

NOT NOMINATED FOR MAYOR

Joseph Finnegan	163 Train Street	16
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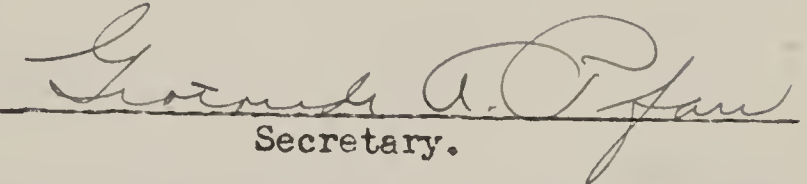
NOT NOMINATED FOR CITY COUNCILLOR

Philip Amaru	49 Pierce Avenue	16
Albert L. Burke	21 St. Botolph Street	4
Francis J. Callahan	280 Pond Street	19
Peter L. Caparell	22 Belvidere Street	4
Joseph Charyna	16 Woodside Avenue	11
Malachy Thomas Coghlan	105 Walford Way	2
Edmund A. Connelly	17 Norwell Street	14
Edward G. Gillooly	20 Edge Hill Street	10
Michael J. Goulding	17 Maywood Street	12
Gerald J. Gray	35 Buttonwood Street	13
Joseph B. Hailer	15 Priesing Street	10
William F. Higgins	30 Msgr. O'Callaghan Way	7
George H. Hughes	365 Marlborough Street	5
Louis H. Kanterowitz	645 Beacon Street	5
Carnig Koresian	2 Ballou Avenue	14
John D. Leach	28 Westland Avenue	4
Paul MacCormack	18 Batchelder Street	8
James J. McAnarney	8 Bean Court	8
James C. McGee	143 Brooks Street	22
William F. McLaughlin	30 Bearse Avenue	17
James S. Norton, Jr.	78 Newburg Street	20
John J. Shearns	619 Washington Street	22
Thomas A. Stevens	31 Falmouth Street	4
Peter A. V. Tardo	5 Hill Place	6
Rudolph L. Trent	30 Sarsfield Street	9
Mitchell S. Zakrzewski	7 Grafton Street	13

NOT NOMINATED FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN

George E. Corcoran	25 St. Gregory Street	Ward 17
Ethel Cecilia Morrison	32 Queensberry Street	5
Mario A. Sacco	81 Wianno Road	14
Edward F. Spellman	77 Keystone Street	20
George Dennis Sullivan	118 Montclair Avenue	20

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

24 August 1951

All Present.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED unanimously that the ballot to be used at the Preliminary Election to be held on Tuesday, 25 September 1951, be in the following form:

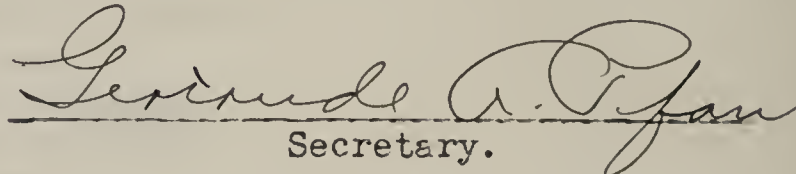
FOR Mayor - 4 years Vote for ONE			
For CITY COUNCILLOR (2 years) Vote for NINE			
For SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN (2 years) Vote for FIVE			

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As provided by Chap. 376 of the Acts of 1951 position on the ballot, under each office, will be by lot--candidates being numbered consecutively in the order drawn.

The four candidates for Mayor will be printed in the first column--the candidates for City Councillor and School Committeeman will be printed in four columns.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor and effective upon such approval, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period from their respective expiration dates at a weekly salary of \$49.11:

	<u>Present appointment Expires</u>
Albert G. Tobin, 58 Pinehurst St., Roslindale	27 August
John L. Pagliarulo, 206 East Eagle St., East Boston	28 "
John J. Waite, 81 Richmond Street, Dorchester	28 "
Walter Connaughton, 7 Meadowbank Avenue, Mattapan	31 "

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to promote the following employes in this department to Temporary Voting Machine Custodians for a period of 11 weeks, effective 29 August 1951, at the weekly salary of \$74.04:

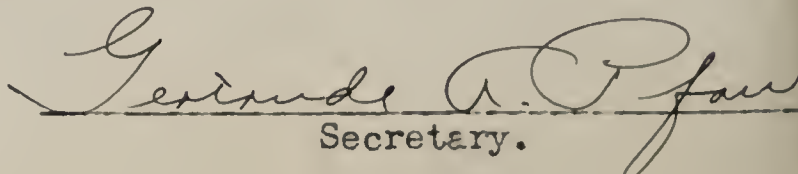
- * H. Frederick Elliott, 100 Charles Street, Boston
- * Raymond Fraser, 189 West Brookline Street
- Philip E. Kosky, 250 Belgrade Avenue, Roslindale
- * Guy E. Leone, 61 Hiawatha Road, Mattapan
- * Robert E. Marden, 28 Newbern Street, Jamaica Plain
- Generoso Musto, 6 Baldwin Place, Boston
- * Lawrence Sullivan, 3 Ascot Street, Brighton

(Under Plan A we are required by law to hold a preliminary election on 25 September 1951. This is what necessitates the appointment of these extra voting machine custodians.)

* Taken from Civil Service eligible list--list being exhausted the other two appointments were made by temporary transfers.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 28 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,484.2

Attest:


Secretary.

All Present.

The time for filing Withdrawals from nomination at the Preliminary Municipal Election, to be held on 25 September 1951, expired at 5 p.m. this day. The following Withdrawals were filed prior to that time:

SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN

David D. Scannell, Jr., 85 May Street

Ward 19

CITY COUNCILLOR

John I. Fitzgerald, 34 Irving Street

Ward 3

Frederick C. Langone, 149 Endicott Street

Ward 3

The time for filing Objections to nominations of candidates at the Preliminary Municipal Election expired at 5 p.m. this day. Prior to such time the following Objections were filed:

Mayor Joseph Finnegan
163 Train St., Dorchester

PROTEST on non-certification of own
nomination papers

Mayor Philip J. Diehl
68 Appleton St., Boston

PROTEST on nomination papers of
James M. Curley
John B. Hynes
Joseph F. Timilty

Mayor Francis P. Tighe
9 Vermont St., West Roxbury

PROTEST on nomination papers of
Thomas J. O'Brien

City Joseph B. Hailer
Councillor 13 Priesing St., J. P.

PROTEST on non-certification of own
nomination papers

City James S. Norton, Jr.
Councillor 78 Newburg St., Rosl.

PROTEST on non-certification of own
nomination papers

City Edmund A. Connelly
Councillor 17 Norwell St., Dor.

PROTEST ON NON-certification of own
nomination papers

City William F. Higgins
Councillor 30 O'Callaghan Way, S.B.

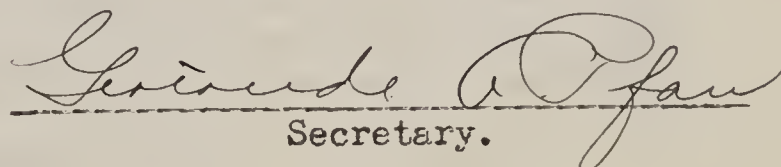
PROTEST on non-certification of own
nomination papers

School George Dennis Sullivan
Committeeman 118 Montclair Ave., Rosl.

PROTEST on non-certification of own
nomination papers

VOTED to open hearings on Thursday, 30 August 1951, at 9.30 A.M., and to continue hearings in accordance with schedule on file in office. Notices were sent to all candidates and parties concerned.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

29 August 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a three-month period from their respective expiration dates at a weekly salary of \$49.11:

Present Appointment Expires

Edgar H. Hopgood, 152A Huntington Avenue, Boston	5 September
Nicholas F. Gatto, 31 Firth Road, Roslindale	4 September
Joseph A. Saponaro, 89 Grady Court, East Boston	4 September
Edward J. Pearl, 32 Brookside Avenue, West Roxbury	3 September

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following-named as provisional assistant registrars in this office for a one-month period, effective 2 September 1951, at a weekly salary of \$49.11:

John E. Waters, 14 Montfern Avenue, Brighton
Charles D. Martin, 34 Owencroft Road, Mattapan
Frank Truscello, 1346 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester
Stephen H. Vinal, 21 Belden Street, Dorchester
Ralph Maglio, 7 Antrim Street, East Boston
Harry J. Elam, 7 Rockland Street, Roxbury
Charles J. Kalell, 179 Webster Street, East Boston
George M. Arnold, 629 Gallivan Blvd., Dorchester
*Joseph F. Garrity, 228 Geneva Avenue, Dorchester
*Moy Gar On, 147 Tyler Street, Boston

*effective 3 September 1951

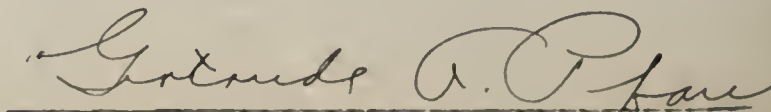
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 28 August 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$2,458.06

VOTED to approve locations of polling places, 362 in number, in accordance with agreements on file in this office for the use of private buildings; leases for lots of land; and letters of approval for the use of public buildings, schools, housing projects, fire stations, and public libraries. These locations are to be used at the PRELIMINARY ELECTION to be held on 25 September 1951, and at the CITY ELECTION to be held on 6 November 1951.

VOTED to request His Honor the Mayor to allow the Board to have the Wright & Potter Printing Co., 32 Derne St., Boston, print the Preliminary Election ballot without advertising for bids at a price of \$8,470.50, such cost being distribute as follows:

276,200 official paper ballots (244) precincts, including specimen	
ballots (10 for each precinct	\$5,987.50
11,800 "Challenged Ballots" (100 for each of 118 voting machine prec.	185.25
Voting machine cards and specimen ballots for 118 precincts	2,258.
2000 ballot strip cards	39.75
Additional paper ballots will be supplied at the rate of \$9.75 per M	

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

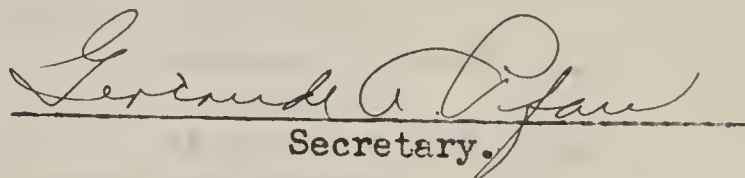
30 August 1951

All Present.

VOTED to hold drawing to determine order in which names of candidates will be printed on the ballot at the Preliminary Election to be held on 25 September 1951, in the Council Chamber, City Hall on Tuesday, 4 September 1951, at 10.30 a.m. All candidates are to be duly notified.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, for week ending 4 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,484.92

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

4 September 1951

All Present.

In accordance with the vote of the Board, the drawing of the names of candidates for Mayor, City Councillor and School Committeeman was held this day in the Council Chamber at 10.30 A.M. to determine the order in which such names will be printed on the ballot. The order in which the names of candidates were drawn is as follows:

	For MAYOR	(4 years)	Vote for ONE
1	John B. Hynes	31 Druid Street	Ward 17
	Present Mayor - Veteran		
2	Joseph F. Timilty	120 Beacon Street	Ward 18
	Veteran		
3	Thomas J. O'Brien	75A Clifton Street	Ward 8
4	James M. Curley	350 Jamaicaway	Ward 19
	Former Mayor - Former Congressman - Former Governor		
	For CITY COUNCILLOR	(2 years)	Vote for NINE
5	John J. McColgan	17 Dawes Street	Ward 7
	Present City Councillor for Ward 7 - Veteran		
6	Francis Patrick Tracey	66 Calumet Street	Ward 10
	Present City Councillor for Ward 10 - Veteran		
7	Harry L. Silva	151 Columbia Road	Ward 14
8	James A. Burke	32 George Street	Ward 18
	Present State Representative - Veteran		
9	Thomas L. McCormack	30 Orchard Street	Ward 19
	Present City Councillor for Ward 19		
10	Benjamin M. Ellis	225 Beacon Street	Ward 5
	Veteran		
11	Laura M. O'Brien	331 Seaver Street	Ward 14
12	Joseph Driscoll	28 Blakeville Street	Ward 15
	Veteran		
13	Frederick C. Hailer, Jr.	4100 Washington Street	Ward 19
	Present State Representative - Veteran		

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14	John Patrick Connolly	16 Chamblet Street	Ward 13
	Former County Clerk of Superior (Civil) Court - Veteran		
15	John J. Sawtelle	259 Gallivan Boulevard	Ward 17
	Former Governor's Councillor		
16	Michael J. Ward	51 Wallingford Road	Ward 21
	Present School Committeeman - Former State Senator - Veteran		
17	Patrick J. Desmond	5 Richview Street	Ward 16
18	Edward O'Brien	7 Milford Street	Ward 3
19	John A. Dolan	11 Elko Street	Ward 22
	Veteran		
20	John E. Driscoll	132 Paul Gore Street	Ward 19
21	Edward P. McDuffee	60 Fenway	Ward 4
	Veteran		
22	William J. Foley, Jr.	388 West Fourth Street	Ward 6
	Veteran		
23	Edmund V. Lane	1666 Commonwealth Avenue	Ward 21
	Present City Councillor for Ward 21 - Veteran		
24	Thomas F. Kennedy	238 Hyde Park Avenue	Ward 19
	Veteran		
25	John E. Kerrigan	213 West Eighth Street	Ward 7
	Former City Councillor for Ward 7 - Veteran		
26	William P. Intraversato	12 Isabella Street	Ward 5
	Veteran		
27	Julius Ansel	22 Wales Street	Ward 14
	Present City Councillor for Ward 14 - Veteran		
28	Michael Leo Kinsella	7 Belmont Street	Ward 2
	Present City Councillor for Ward 2		
29	Charles E. Hughes	50 Rosewood Street	Ward 18
	Veteran		
30	John E. Powers	145 Stoughton Street	Ward 13
31	Edward A. Hutchinson, Jr.	238 Savin Hill Avenue	Ward 13
	Former City Councillor for Ward 13		
32	Patrick Gilbert Sullivan	92 Codman Hill Avenue	Ward 17
	Former State Representative - Veteran		
33	Kathleen T. Ryan Dacey	23 Forsyth Street	Ward 4
	Present School Committeeman		
34	Frank J. Guaragna	73 Sumner Street	Ward 7
35	Enrico Cappucci	176 Orient Avenue	Ward 1
	Former State Representative		
36	James S. Coffey	451 Meridian Street	Ward 1
	Present City Councillor for Ward 1 - Veteran		
37	Edward M. McMahon	15 Kearsarge Avenue	Ward 12
38	George F. Oakes	290 Metropolitan Avenue	Ward 18
39	Walter D. Bryan	18 Alhambra Road	Ward 20
	Present City Councillor for Ward 20		
40	Vincent Mottola	20 Dustin Street	Ward 22
41	John F. Fitzgerald	3 Rundel Park	Ward 16
	Veteran		
42	John E. Yerxa	81 Beacon Street	Ward 5
	Present City Councillor for Ward 5 - Veteran		
43	Joseph Beth	42 Estella Street	Ward 14
44	William A. Glynn	864 Columbus Avenue	Ward 9
	Present State Representative		
45	Anita G. Flaherty	929 East Broadway	Ward 6
46	Joseph McDonough	8 Hancock Street	Ward 3
47	Francis X. Coyne	73 Hamilton Street	Ward 15
	Former State Representative - Veteran		
48	Michael Herbert Cantwell	4 Violante Street	Ward 18
	Present City Councillor for Ward 18		
49	Matthew F. Hanley	308 Amory Street	Ward 11
	Former City Councillor for Ward 11 - Veteran		

50	Thomas J. Hannon	15 Hartford Street	Ward 13
	Present City Councillor for Ward 13		
51	Francis X. Ahearn	16 Gerald Road	Ward 22
	Veteran		
52	Owen Gallagher	664 Columbia Road	Ward 7
	Former State Representative		
53	Daniel J. McDevitt	238 South Huntington Ave.	Ward 10
	Present School Committeeman		
54	Lee M. Friedman	206 Bay State Road	Ward 5
55	Orlando Q. Spagnoletti	134 Saint Mary's Street	Ward 21
	Veteran		
56	William F. Hurley	76 Mount Pleasant Avenue	Ward 8
	Present City Councillor for Ward 8		
57	Francis X. Joyce	10 Southwick Street	Ward 16
	Present State Representative - Veteran		
58	Robert E. Bigney	532 East Broadway	Ward 6
	Former State Representative - Former State Senator		
59	Robert J. Ramsey	39 Cameron Street	Ward 15
	Present City Councillor for Ward 15 - Veteran		
60	Rico Matera	1223 Bennington Street	Ward 1
	Veteran		
61	Gabriel Francis Piemonte	20 Prince Street	Ward 3
	Present State Representative		
62	Clement A. Norton	33 Myopia Road	Ward 18
	Former School Committeeman - Veteran		
63	John B. Wenzler	514 East Broadway	Ward 6
	Present City Councillor for Ward 6		
64	Laurence H. Banks	23 Haskins Street	Ward 9
	Former State Representative - Veteran		
65	Albert L. Fish	4 Rundel Park	Ward 16
	Former City Councillor for Ward 16 - Veteran		
66	Thomas J. Belmonte	578 East Eighth Street	Ward 7
67	Perlie Dyar Chase	136 Huntington Avenue	Ward 4
	Present City Councillor for Ward 4		
68	George T. Lanigan	20 North Anderson Street	Ward 3
	Present City Councillor for Ward 3		
69	Joseph C. White	12 Ruskin Street	Ward 20
	Former State Senator - Present School Committeeman - Veteran		

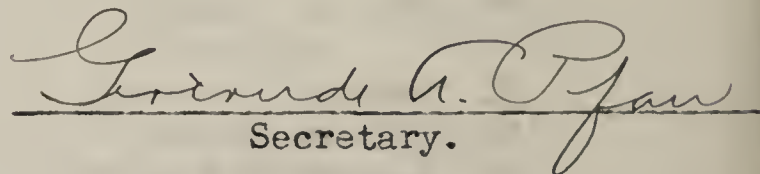
For SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN (2 years) Vote for FIVE

70	Paul J. Burns	100 Morton Street	Ward 11
	Veteran		
71	George F. Swasey, Jr.	32 Druid Street	Ward 17
72	Ruth M. Batson	14 Woodrow Wilson Court	Ward 8
73	Joseph C. Tomasello	733 Washington Street	Ward 22
74	Daniel F. Sullivan	9 Highland Street	Ward 9
	Present City Councillor for Ward 9		
75	John J. Concannon	1679 Dorchester Avenue	Ward 16
	Former State Representative		
76	Francis A. Sullivan	92 Wordsworth Street	Ward 1
	Veteran		
77	Vincent J. Shanley	73 Parsons Street	Ward 22
	Present City Councillor for Ward 22 - Veteran		
78	James E. Reilly	49 High Street	Ward 2
79	Alice Lyons	76 Moraine Street	Ward 19

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80	Albert West	65 Saratoga Street	Ward 1
81	Anthony J. Farin	7 Packard Avenue	Ward 17
	Present City Councillor for Ward 17		
82	Mary K. Fitzgerald	103 Charles Street	Ward 5
83	Arthur F. Collins, Jr.	198 Norfolk Avenue	Ward 8
	Veteran		
84	Anthony L. Bruno	63 Brooks Street	Ward 1
85	T. Edward Fitzgerald	29 Evergreen Street	Ward 10
	Veteran		
86	Frederic J. Muldoon	3 Mapleton Street	Ward 22
87	Jerome Patrick Troy	22 Chase Street	Ward 7
	Veteran		
88	William F. Carr	390 K Street	Ward 7
	Present State Representative - Veteran		
89	Stephen John Connolly	5 Brown Avenue	Ward 19
90	Edward F. Riley	24 Chambers Street	Ward 3
	Veteran		
91	Joseph Lee	43 South Russell Street	Ward 3
	Former School Committeeman - Veteran		
92	John P. Shepard	18 Belmont Street	Ward 2
	Former State Representative		
93	John D. Sullivan	65 O'Reilly Way	Ward 2
94	Isadore H. Y. Muchnick	38 Gleason Street	Ward 14
	Present School Committeeman		
95	Thomas F. McCready	171 Forest Hills Street	Ward 11
	Former State Representative		
96	Louis F. Musco	111 Church Street	Ward 20
97	Peter J. DeRosa	36 Lyon Street	Ward 15
	Veteran		
98	Patrick J. Foley	505 East Broadway	Ward 6
	Former School Committeeman		
99	James E. Downey	235 Wachusett Street	Ward 19
	Veteran		
100	Lawrence P. Trainor	27 Vineland Street	Ward 22
101	Arthur C. Hasiotis	1642 Commonwealth Avenue	Ward 21
102	James L. Burley	261 Columbia Road	Ward 14
	Veteran		
103	Timothy J. McInerney	21 Iroquois Street	Ward 10
	Present State Representative		
104	Murray Gateman	118 Hutchings Street	Ward 12
	Veteran		
105	Edward F. White	Way Building, Fairmount Avenue	Ward 18

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

6 September 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

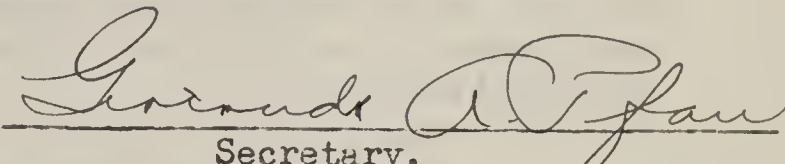
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, for week ending 5 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$2,331.93

VOTED to hold public demonstration of a voting machine in the Election Department Voting Machine Division, Room 103 City Hall Annex, on September 17, 18 and 19th, during the hours from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.

VOTED to hold demonstrations of voting machines in the wards on the evenings of September 17, 18, and 19th, during the hours from 6 P.M. to 10 P.M., in accordance with schedule on file in this office.

All voters in precincts where voting machines are to be used for the first time at the Preliminary Election will be notified by postal of the demonstrations.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 September 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

Records of previous meeting read and approved.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employees, for week ending 11 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,740.55

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employees, for week ending 11 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,192.86

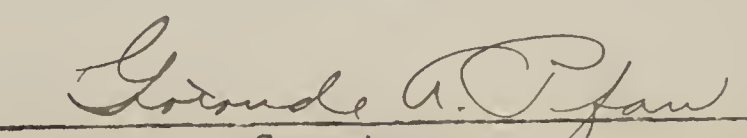
VOTED to approve Overtime Pay Roll for permanent employees, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,282.76

VOTED to approve Overtime Pay Roll for temporary employees, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 198.88

VOTED unanimously that certificate recommended by the Law Department be added to the Total Tally Sheets for the Preliminary Election, to be signed by the six election officers in each precinct.

There came before the Board the matter of continuing the use of so-called "Election Return Books" at elections and primaries. Upon motion made by Commissioner Russo and seconded by Commissioner Pfau it was VOTED to continue their use. Voting yea 3; Voting Nay 1.

Attest:


Secretary.

All Present.

There came before the Board the following letter received September 12, 1951 from Laurence H. Banks, candidate for the office of City Councillor at the preliminary municipal election to be held September 25, 1951:

Mr. Joseph Russo)
Mr. Everett R. Prout) Board of Election Commissioners
Miss Gertrude A. Pfau)
Mr. J. Joseph Connors)
City Hall, Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Members:

I waited as long as I safely could before taking out my nomination papers for re-election to a full two year term to the City Council, as I desired at that time to have added to my name on the ballot, the words "Present Councillor".

I expressed this desire to the election official when I applied for my nomination papers but then I was told that I had not been sworn in as City Councillor and that I could not use those descriptive words.

The ballot for Boston's first preliminary election under Plan A, about to be printed is in error.

I herewith again protest to the Election Commission that I desire to add the words "Present City Councillor for Ward 9" to my name on the ballot instead of the words, "Former Representative".

As the returns of the election were corrected, so in a like manner, fundamental, pernicious and monstrous error or inequities flowing from these corrected returns should also be brought up to date.

In equity and in good conscience, I believe the ballot should be so amended.

/S/ LAURENCE H. BANKS

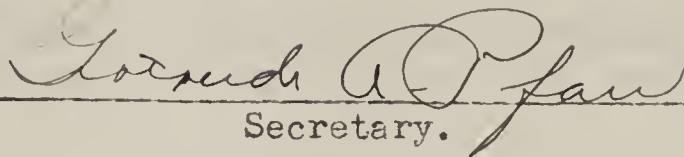
It was unanimously voted that the request contained in the foregoing letter be, and the same hereby is, denied and that the Chairman be, and he hereby is, authorized to write Mr. Banks in the name and behalf of the Board as follows:

"There came before the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston at its meeting today your request of September 12, 1951 that the Official Preliminary Municipal Election Ballot for use at the preliminary election to be held in the City of Boston on September 25, 1951 recite after your name the words 'Present Councillor' instead of the statement contained in your nomination petition concerning the elective public offices held by you. After consideration of your request, the Board voted to deny it.

con't.

"Under St. 1948, c. 452, s. 58, as appearing in St. 1951, c. 376, s. 2, the only statement permitted by law to be contained in the above-mentioned ballot is the statement contained in the nomination petition. The statement presently requested by you was not contained in your nomination petition."

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

14 September 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor, to extend the employment of the following as set forth below:

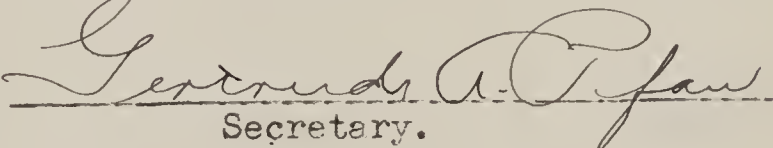
Richard C. DiMare of 77 Chambers Street, Boston, Electrician at \$62.53 the week, for a period of three months--current appointment expires on 18 September 1951.

John C. Centracchio, Jr., 61 West Eagle St., East Boston, Assistant Registrar of Voters at \$49.11 the week, for a period of one month--current appointment expires on 21 September 1951.

Rudolph DeMarco, 3 Lewis Street, Boston, Assistant Registrar of Voters at \$49.11 the week, for a period of one month--current appoint expires on 21 September 1951.

Arthur F. Drake of 157 West Concord St., Boston, Assistant Registrar of Voters at \$52.95 the week, for a period of three months--current appointment expires on 24 September 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 September 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 18 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.36

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Outside Assistant Registrars who served in the various wards throughout the city during the period from 22 August to 5 September inclusive, amounting to 2,738.50

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes for week ending 18 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,031.19

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

19 September 1951

All Present.

On motion made and duly seconded the Board this day VOTED to change the polling place location in Ward 11 - Precinct 15 from Corcoran Hall, 4 Hyde Park Avenue, to Store (Street Floor), at 3708 Washington Street.

On motion made and duly seconded it was voted that the Chairman be empowered to hire a stenographer to handle the minutes of the Board and any correspondence that the Board might have. This motion was put and carried - Voting yea 3; Voting nay 1.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

20 September 1951.

All Present.

On motion made and duly seconded it was voted to place a voting machine outside of City Hall (main building) for the purpose of public demonstration, such machine to be used for demonstration purposes through the City Election, November 6th. This motion was put and carried - voting yea 3; voting nay 1.

VOTED that in accordance with the provisions of law the following-named persons hereby have been appointed to serve as election officers in each voting precinct of the City of Boston, for the term ending September 1, 1952, and that the list added hereto is made part of the record.

Voting yea 2; voting nay 2.

Attest:

Gertrude A. O'Farrell
Secretary.

In Board

25 September 1951

All Present.

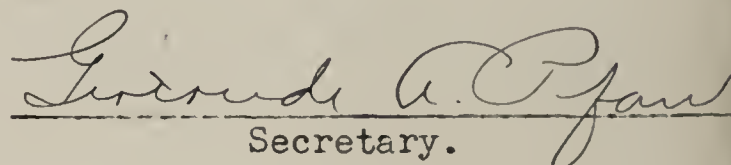
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 25 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.36

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 25 September 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to1,867.19

VOTED to reconsider the vote of the Board taken on 20 September 1951 - re - appointment of election officers - and further moved for its adoption.

The Board voted to ratify action of Commissioners in appointing the election officers subsequent to the list hereinbefore set forth in previous motion. Said list attached hereto.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 September 1951

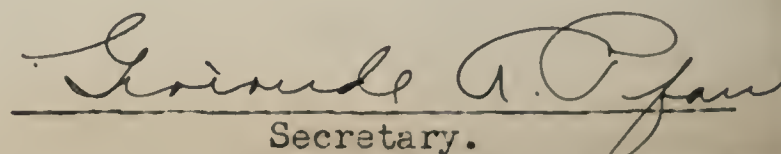
All Present.

At 5 o'clock P.M. this day the time for filing recount petitions for the Preliminary Election expired. Petitions for recounts in Wards 1 to 22, inclusive for the office of CITY COUNCILLOR were received in this office prior to that time.

VOTED to begin the recount in voting machine precincts on Wednesday, 3 October 1951 at 9.30 A.M. at Ward 1, Precinct 3, Public Welfare Building, 154 Maverick Street, under the supervision of Commissioners Russo and Prout; and at Ward 22, Precinct 16, Thomas A. Edison School, Glenmont Road, near Willoughby Street, under the supervision of Commissioners Pfau and Connors.

Notices to that effect were duly mailed to all affected candidates; also informing them that from the opening point the Board would proceed to the other voting machine precincts.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

2 October 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes for week ending 2 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.36

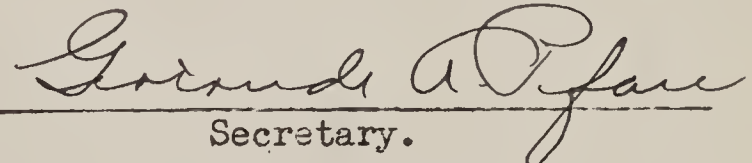
VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes for week ending 2 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,808.26

VOTED, subject to the approval of His Honor the Mayor to extend the employment of the following-named (all veterans) for a period of six weeks, effective 3 October 1951 and terminating on 16 November 1951--rate of salary being \$49.11 weekly:

George W. Arnold, 629 Gallivan Blvd., Dorchester
Harry J. Elam, 7 Rockland Street, Roxbury
Joseph F. Garrity, 228 Geneva Avenue, Dorchester
Charles J. Kalell, 179 Webster Street, East Boston
Ralph Maglio, 7 Antrim Street, East Boston
Charles D. Martin, 34 Owencroft Road, Mattapan
Moy Gar On, 147 Tyler Street, Boston
Frank Truscello, 1346 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester
Stephen N. Vinal, 21 Belden Street, Dorchester
John E. Waters, 14 Montfern Ave., Brighton

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Registration Places during period from 22 August to 5 September, and places for Qualifying Election Officers on 6, 7 and 10 of September, amounting to\$2,188.50

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

8 October 1951

All Present.

There came before the Board of Election Commissioners at its meeting today the request of City Councillor Ansel to discontinue the recount of ballots now taking place on Wednesday, 10 October 1951, Yom Kippur, a Jewish high holiday.

On motion made and duly seconded it was voted to continue the recount on Wednesday, 10 October 1951; also on Friday, 12 October 1951, Columbus Day.

This motion was put and carried - voting yea 3; voting nay 1.

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Under date of 5 October 1951, Jerome Patrick Troy of 22 Chase Street, Uphams Corner, and Timothy J. McInerney of 21 Iroquois Street, Roxbury, filed complaints of illegal registration against LOUIS F. MUSCO of 111 Church Street, West Roxbury, whose name appears upon the First Supplementary Voting List from 265 Belgrade Avenue, Ward 20, Precinct 8.

VOTED to notify Jerome Patrick Troy and Timothy J. McInerney to appear at this office on Wednesday, 10 October 1951 at 2 P.M., prepared to present the evidence at their disposal to establish a prima facie case.

VOTED that the following letter be made a part of the records of the Board:

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259 WASHINGTON ST., BOSTON 6, MASS.

October 3, 1951

Mr. Joseph Russo, Chairman
Boston Election Commission
City Hall
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Russo:

We of The Post congratulate the members of the Election Department on the job done September 25. I have reference to the work of the precinct officers in co-operation with the police department on the returns of the contest for Mayor.

For the first time in a generation at least, we had the returns in this office, of every precinct, prior to 1 a.m. This meant careful instruction by the Election Department personnel and faithful and prompt action by the election officers in all of the precincts. We have long since learned to expect that at least one precinct would be missing, and oftentimes more. Many times we have had to send reporters out to election booths, hoping to get the returns. We were thus agreeably surprised, yes, delighted when every precinct was accounted for early.

In justice to you and your associates, we feel that we should write you and tell you this.

I am sending a note also to the Police Commissioner for the very fine co-operation of his department.

Sincerely,

Edw. J. Dunn
City Editor

Edw. J. Dunn/ad

In Board

9 October 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Because of innumerable phone calls from Rabbis and others of the Jewish faith, it was moved to rescind the vote of the Board of 8 October 1951 in so far as it relates to continuing the recount on Wednesday, 10 October 1951.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously carried to discontinue the recount of ballots from 4 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, 9 October 1951, until 6 o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, 10 October 1951, this being the period of the Jewish Holiday, Yom Kippur, the Day of Atonement, and the most sacred day of the Jewish year.

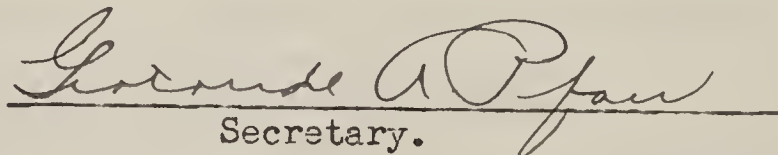
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers on day of Preliminary Election, 25 September 1951, amounting to\$29,655.32

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Schoolhouses where demonstration of voting machines took place on 17, 18 and 19 September amounting to 530.

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 9 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 3,544.36

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 9 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,798.44

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

10 October 1951

All Present, also Mr. Kerr and Mr. Graglia from Law Dept.

Meeting called to order at 2 P.M. with Chairman Russo presiding.

There was laid before the Board by the Chairman a complaint filed in this office on Friday, 5 October 1951, at 10.42 A.M., signed and sworn to by Jerome Patrick Troy, a registered voter living at 22 Chase Street, Ward 7, Precinct 14, stating, in part, that the complainant had reason to believe and did believe that one Louis F. Musco is illegally registered.

The members of the Board thereupon severally examined said complaint.

On motion made by Mr. Prout, seconded by Mr. Connors, it was voted that it be and hereby is determined to be the sense of the Board that the Board is satisfied that there is sufficient ground for the aforesaid complaint and that the person complained of be summoned to appear before this Board at its office, 111 City Hall Annex, Court Street, Boston, at two o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, 16 October 1951, to answer to the matters set forth in the complaint and to show cause why his name should not be stricken from the register of voters, and that a summons be prepared and served in conformity with the provisions of law and this vote.

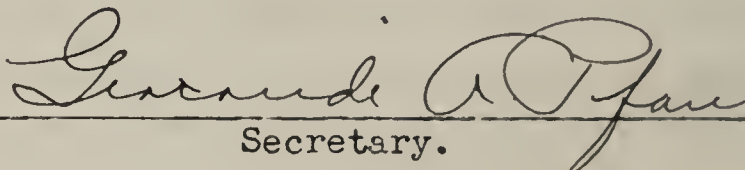
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There was further laid before the Board by the Chairman a complaint filed in this office on Friday, 5 October 1951, at 2.45 P.M., signed and sworn to by Timothy J. McInerney, a registered voter living at 21 Iroquois Street, Ward 10, Precinct 7, stating, in part, that the complainant had reason to believe and did believe that one Louis F. Musco is illegally registered.

The members of the Board thereupon severally examined said complaint.

On motion made by Mr. Prout and seconded by Miss Pfau, it was voted that it be and hereby is determined to be the sense of the Board that the Board is satisfied that there is sufficient ground for the aforesaid complaint and that the person complained of be summoned to appear before this Board at its office, 111 City Hall Annex, Court Street, Boston, at two o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, 16 October 1951, to answer to the matters set forth in the complaint and to show cause why his name should not be stricken from the register of voters, and that a summons be prepared and served in conformity with the provisions of law and this vote.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 October 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes during period from 19 September to 2 October, inclusive, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$2,515.83

VOTED to request His Honor the Mayor to allow the Board to have the Wright & Potter Printing Co., 32 Derne Street, Boston, print the City Election ballots without advertising for bids at a price of \$7,829.00, such cost being distributed as follows:

290,000 official paper ballots (244 precincts), including specimen ballots (10 for each precinct)\$4,239.00

11,800 "Challenged Ballots" (100 for each of 118 voting machine Prec.) 156.50

20,000 Absent Voters' Ballots (362 precincts) 782.00

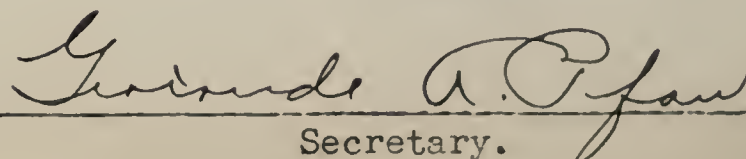
20,000 War Ballots (362 precincts) 782.00

Voting Machine cards and specimen ballots for 118 voting machine prec. 1353.25

800 ballot strip cards - no printing 16.25

Additional ballots (paper) will be supplied at the rate of \$8.80 per M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

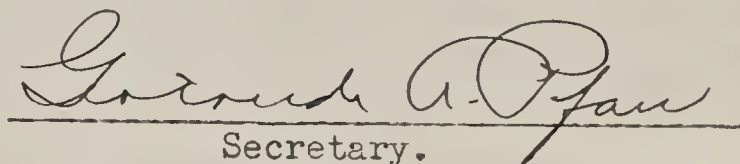
13 October 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

The recount of ballots cast at the Preliminary Election held on Tuesday, 25, 1951, for the office of CITY COUNCILLOR was declared completed this day. The examination of voting machines was completed on 5 October 1951. The recount of paper ballots opened on Saturday, 6 October 1951 and was completed this day, 13 October 1951.

The recount effected no change in the results of the preliminary election as previously declared.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

15 October 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 16 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,531.09

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for employes from other city departments, who worked on the recount of paper ballots during the hours from 5.30 P.M. to 10 P.M., as per copy on file in office, amounting to 6,804.00

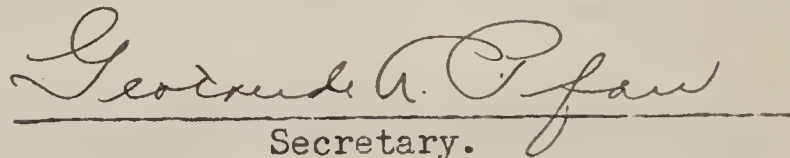
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime due employes of other city departments (chauffeurs and laborers) who worked in excess of their regular working hours for the Election Department at the Preliminary Election, amounting to 681.03

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 16 October 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,636.79
of Election Dept.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary Employees / who worked overtime on the recounting of paper ballots, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,041.55

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Polling Places on day of Preliminary Election, 25 September 1951, amounting to 6,388.77

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

16 October 1951

All Present.

Board met at 2 o'clock P.M. this day and it was unanimously voted to adjourn to the Council Chamber.

Meeting was called to order by the Chairman and a call of the roll showed the following Board members present:--

Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

Secretary then read the complaint of illegal registration of Jerome Patrick Troy of 22 Chase Street, Ward 7, Precinct 14, against Louis F. Musco of 265 Belgrade Avenue, Ward 20, Precinct 8; and it was unanimously voted, with agreement by council for both plaintiffs and defendant, that inasmuch as the substance of the complaint filed by Timothy J. McInerney of 21 Iroquois Street, Ward 10, Precinct 7, was the same as that of Troy's, the two complaints would be considered at the same time.

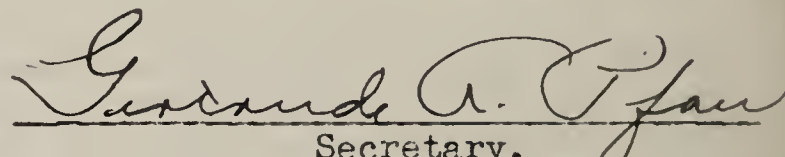
Witnesses were sworn by the Chairman.

After the completion of evidence, it was agreed by all interested parties that rebuttal be put over until 11 A.M. the following day.

On motion made and duly seconded it was unanimously voted to adjourn until Wednesday, 17 October 1951, at 11 A. M.

Adjourned at 1 A.M.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Council Chamber

17 October 1951

The Board met at 11 A.M. to resume the hearing on the illegal registration complaints of Jerome Patrick Troy and Timothy J. McInerney.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Russo.

Roll call showed the following Board members to be present.

Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

Rebuttal of Atty. Caulfield for the plaintiffs, and Atty. Weinstein for the defendant.

Commissioner Prout moved that the Board take the case under advisement and render a decision later. Motion put, second and carried.

Voting Yes - 3
" No - 1

Meeting adjourned at 2 P. M.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman

Roll call showed the following to be present -

Commissioners Russo, Prout, Pfau and Connors.

Chairman Russo stated his reason for calling the Board together was for the purpose of discussing the matter of printing the official ballots for the coming Municipal Election.

Shortly after the opening of the discussion Commissioner Connors left the meeting.

It was unanimously voted by those present to print the official ballot to be used at the City Election to be held on Tuesday, 6 November 1951, in the following form:

For MAYOR

3 spaces

(2 spaces for candidates' names
(1 blank space

For C I T Y C O U N C I L L O R

14 spaces

for Candidates' names

For S C H O O L C O M M I T T E E M A N

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4 spaces (for candidates' names)

9 blank spaces for writeins

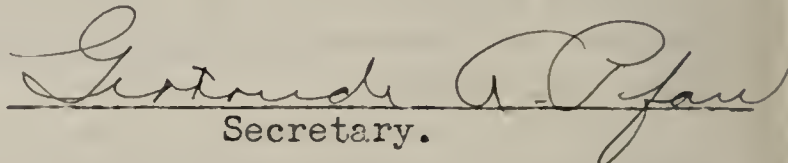
3 spaces for Candidates' names

5 blank spaces for write-ins

It was also the consensus of the three members present that the voting machine ballots be made to conform in set-up to the paper ballots, and it was so voted.

It was then voted to rest in the illegal registration case until the arrival of attorneys from the Law Department.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

18 October 1951

All Present.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Russo.

After a review of the facts, it was moved that the petitions of Jerome Patrick Troy and Timothy J. McInerney in the illegal registration case against Louis F. Musco be denied. The Board found that said Louis F. Musco was a resident of Boston on January 1st, 1951 at 265 Belgrade Avenue; that he is a qualified voter of the City of Boston; and that his registration is correct.

Motion was seconded, put and carried.

Voting Yes - 3

Voting No - 1

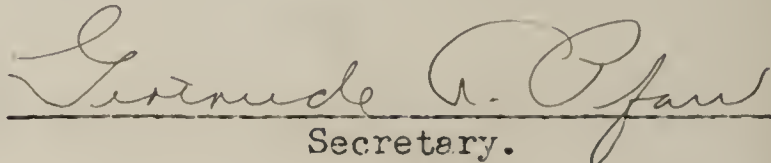
Commissioner Connors moved that he be furnished with a transcript of the minutes of the hearing on the complaint of illegal registration against Louis F. Musco.

This motion was seconded by Commissioner Prout, put and it was so voted.

The Board voted to hold a meeting on Monday, 22 October 1951 at 10.30 A.M. in the Council Chamber for the purpose of drawing for positions on the ballot.

It was unanimously voted to request the Law Department for a written opinion on the question of the use of numbers beside the names of candidates on the ballots at the coming Municipal Election.

Attest:


Secretary.

All Present.

In accordance with the vote of the Board, the drawing of the names of candidates for Mayor, City Councillor and School Committeeman was held this day in the Council Chamber at 10.30 A.M. to determine the order in which such names will be printed on the ballot. The order in which the names of candidates were drawn is as follows:

For MAYOR	(4 years)	Vote for ONE
John B. Hynes	31 Druid Street	Ward 17
Present Mayor - Veteran		
James M. Curley	350 Jamaicaway	Ward 19
Former Mayor - Former Congressman - Former Governor		
For CITY COUNCILLOR	(2 years)	Vote for NINE
Michael Herbert Cantwell	4 Violante Street	Ward 18
Present City Councillor for Ward 18		
Gabriel Francis Piemonte	20 Prince Street	Ward 3
Present State Representative		
William F. Hurley	76 Mount Pleasant Avenue	Ward 8
Present City Councillor for Ward 8		
Francis Patrick Tracey	66 Calumet Street	Ward 10
Present City Councillor for Ward 10 - Veteran		
William J. Foley, Jr.	388 West Fourth Street	Ward 6
Veteran		
William A. Glynn	864 Columbus Avenue	Ward 9
Present State Representative		
Michael J. Ward	51 Wallingford Road	Ward 21
Present School Committeeman - Former State Senator - Veteran		
Kathleen T. Ryan Dacey	23 Forsyth Street	Ward 4
Present School Committeeman		
Francis X. Ahearn	16 Gerald Road	Ward 22
Veteran		
John E. Kerrigan	213 West Eighth Street	Ward 7
Former City Councillor for Ward 7 - Veteran		
Clement A. Norton	33 Myopia Road	Ward 18
Former School Committeeman - Veteran		
Lee M. Friedman	206 Bay State Road	Ward 5
Perlie Dyar Chase	136 Huntington Avenue	Ward 4
Present City Councillor for Ward 4		
Frederick C. Hailer, Jr.	4100 Washington Street	Ward 19
Present State Representative - Veteran		
Joseph C. White	12 Ruskin Street	Ward 20
Former State Senator - Present School Committeeman - Veteran		
Patrick Gilbert Sullivan	92 Codman Hill Avenue	Ward 17
Former State Representative - Veteran		
James S. Coffey	451 Meridian Street	Ward 1
Present City Councillor for Ward 1 - Veteran		
Francis X. Joyce	10 Southwick Street	Ward 16
Present State Representative - Veteran		

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For SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN (2 Years)		Vote for FIVE
William F. Carr	390 K Street	Ward 7
Present State Representative - Veteran		
Joseph Lee	43 South Russell Street	Ward 3
Former School Committeeman - Veteran		
Joseph C. Tomasello	733 Washington Street	Ward 22
Timothy J. McInerney	21 Iroquois Street	Ward 10
Present State Representative		
Louis F. Musco	111 Church Street	Ward 20
Alice Lyons	76 Moraine Street	Ward 19
Isadore H. Y. Muchnick	38 Gleason Street	Ward 14
Present School Committeeman		
Jerome Patrick Troy	22 Chase Street	Ward 7
Veteran		
Patrick J. Foley	505 East Broadway	Ward 6
Former School Committeeman		
Mary K. Fitzgerald	103 Charles Street	Ward 5

In Board

22 October 1951

All Present - 2 P.M.

The Chairman announced that the meeting was called to hear the motion filed by Mr. Caulfield, attorney for Jerome Patrick Troy and Timothy J. McInerney, complainants in the illegal registration case filed against Louis F. Musco--said motion requesting the Board of Election Commissioners to reconsider its vote of 18 October 1951.

At the conclusion of the arguments on both sides, Commissioner Prout moved that the matter be taken under advisement. This motion was seconded by Commissioner Pfau - put and it was so voted.

It was voted 3 to 1 that the meeting be adjourned.

In Board

22 October 1951

All Present - 3 P.M.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Russo.

Commissioner Prout moved that the motion filed by Jerome Patrick Troy and Timothy J. McInerney be dismissed on the grounds that the motion was not based on facts; This motion was seconded by Commissioner Pfau - put and carried.

Voting Yes - 3

" No - 1

There was then laid before the Board by the Chairman a complaint filed in this office on Friday, 19 October 1951, at 4.49 P.M., signed and sworn to by Jerome Patrick Troy, a registered voter living at 22 Chase Street, Ward 7, Precinct 14, stating, in part, that the complainant had reason to believe and did believe that one Joseph E. Iovino is illegally registered.

The members of the Board thereupon severally examined said complaint.

On motion made by Miss Pfau, seconded by Mr. Prout, it was voted that it be and hereby is determined to be the sense of the Board that the Board is satisfied that there is sufficient ground for the aforesaid complaint

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and that the person complained of be summoned to appear before this Board at its office, 111 City Hall Annex, Court Street, Boston, at 10 o'clock in the morning on Friday, 26 October 1951, to answer to the matters set forth in the complaint and to show cause why his name should not be stricken from the register of voters, and that a summons be prepared and served in conformity with the provisions of law and this vote.

Adjourned.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Ryan
Secretary.

In Board

23 October 1951

All Present.

VOTED to publish the following notice (as required by law) on 25 October 1951 in

Globe
Post
Christian Science Monitor
American
Record
Herald-Traveler

CITY OF BOSTON
Office of the Board of Election Commissioners
City Hall Annex, Boston
October 18, 1951

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to law that the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston has determined and declared the result of the Preliminary Municipal Election, held in the City of Boston on Tuesday, 25 September 1951, to be as follows:

FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR

Name	Address	Votes Received
1 JOHN B. HYNES*	31 Druid Street	168,414
2 JOSEPH F. TIMILTY	120 Beacon Street	15,890
3 THOMAS J. O'BRIEN*	75A Clifton Street	1,406
4 JAMES M. CURLEY*	350 Jamaica Way	77,268

*Nominated.

FOR THE OFFICE OF CITY COUNCILOR

Name	Address	Votes Received
5 JOHN J. McCOLGAN	17 Daves Street	22,637
6 FRANCIS PATRICK TRACEY*	66 Calumet Street	29,231
7 HARRY L. SILVA	151 Columbia Road	12,403
8 JAMES A. BURKE	32 George Street	20,806
9 THOMAS L. McCORMACK	30 Orchard Street	21,527
10 BENJAMIN M. ELLIS	225 Beacon Street	17,813
11 LAURA M. O'BRIEN	331 Seaver Street	11,675
12 JOSEPH DEISCOLL	28 Blakeville Street	8,812
13 FREDERICK C. HAILEY, JR.*	4100 Washington Street	46,199
14 JOHN PATRICK CONNOLLY	16 Chamblin Street	17,487
15 JOHN J. SAWTELLE	259 Gallivan Boulevard	24,479
16 MICHAEL J. WARD*	51 Wallingford Road	49,866
17 PATRICK J. DESMOND	51 Wallingford Road	21,881
18 EDWARD O'BRIEN	7 Milford Street	5,991
19 JOHN A. DOLAN	11 Elko Street	9,914
20 JOHN E. DRISCOLL	132 Paul Gore Street	7,563
21 EDWARD P. McDUFFEE	60 Fenway	3,810
22 WILLIAM J. FOLEY, JR.*	388 West Fourth Street	52,800
23 EDMUND V. LANE	1666 Commonwealth Avenue	17,243
24 THOMAS F. KENNEDY	238 Hyde Park Avenue	9,613
25 JOHN E. KERRIGAN	213 West Eighth Street	38,628
26 WILLIAM P. INTRAVERSATO	12 Isabella Street	7,177
27 JULIUS ANSEL	22 Wales Street	26,834
28 MICHAEL LEO KINSELLA	7 Belmont Street	23,108
29 CHARLES E. HUGHES	50 Rosewood Street	4,408
30 JOHN E. POWERS	145 Stoughton Street	10,551
31 EDWARD A. HUTCHINSON, JR.	238 Savin Hill Avenue	8,296
32 PATRICK GILBERT SULLIVAN*	92 Codman Hill Avenue	31,669
33 KATHLEEN T. RYAN DACEY*	23 Forsyth Street	49,570
34 FRANK J. GUARAGNA	73 Summer Street	6,520
35 ENRICO CAPPUCCI	176 Orient Avenue	19,744
36 JAMES S. COFFEY*	451 Meridian Street	35,059
37 EDWARD M. McMAHON	15 Kearsarge Avenue	3,402
38 GEORGE J. OAKES	290 Metropolitan Avenue	20,988
39 WALTER D. BRYAN	18 Alhambra Road	12,151
40 VINCENT MONTOLA	20 Dustin Street	13,375
41 JOHN F. FITZGERALD	3 Rundel Park	44,111
42 JOHN E. YERXA	81 Beacon Street	51,039
43 JOSEPH BETH	42 Estella Street	6,260
44 JOSEPH ANNUN*	44 Columbus Avenue	27,930

SOM. Ten Hill-2 fam., 3-6, no vac., gar. MY 8-5463; eves. 6-5925. TTh 023
VAC. store and liv. rm. for buyer of 3-apl. and store. CO 6-6819.
WATER TOWN—Custom-built 6-room single, plus knotty pine den, large sun porch, full dining room, modern kitchen with refrigerator and Bendix, 24-ft. living room with beamed ceiling and fireplace, 3 bedrooms, tile bath; make an offer.
STONE COURT, TR 6-2150
WATER TOWN—G.I.'s \$1000 down, beautiful new 4-rm. Cape Cod, firepl., tiled bath and shower, expansion attic, level lot; \$11,900. BE 5-4470. LE 9-3024.
WK-END vacation, yr. rd cabin del. \$540; terms: 5 big windows. DE 2-4370. ThSu 025
WANTED—Real estate to buy for cash from owner. Write N 326. Globe office. ThSu 025
WOULD like to buy 2 or 1-family house direct from owner. Give full details. T 349. Globe. 5t. 023
WANTED—Belmont. Private party will pay \$20,000 for nice 2-family. Call eves. AR 5-3302. TTh 023
9-9 2-FAMILY duplex, near center, excellent condition; price right for quick sale. Call Natick 98-R eves. 2t 025

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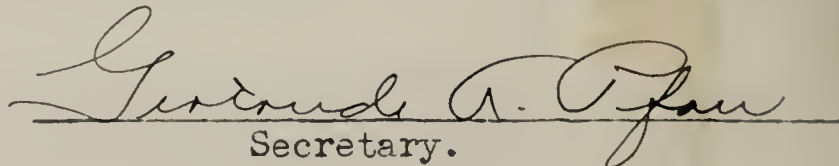
Attest:

Gertrude A. Ryan
Secretary.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime due employes of other city departments who worked in excess of their regular working hours for the Election Department at the PRELIMINARY ELECTION, amounting to.....\$277.40

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Outside Registration Places in the 22 wards, during the period from 3 October to 17 October, amounting to1,910.00

Attest:


Secretary.

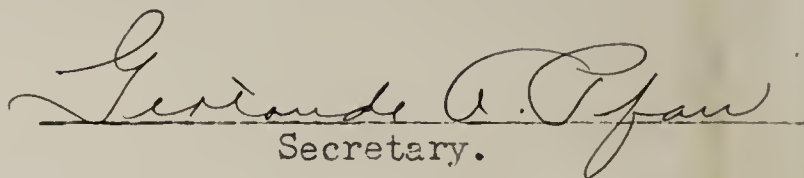
In Board

2 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

On motion made, duly seconded, it was unanimously voted that there be no "checkers" at polling places at the City Election to be held on Tuesday, 6 November 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

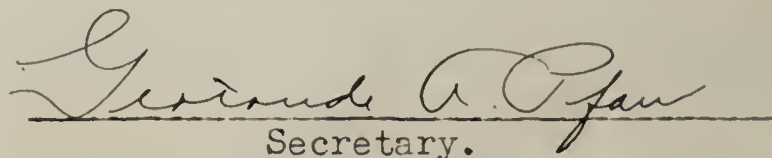
5 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 6 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.36

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 6 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$2,479.54

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

13 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 13 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,544.36

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 13 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,304.27

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for permanent employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,317.20

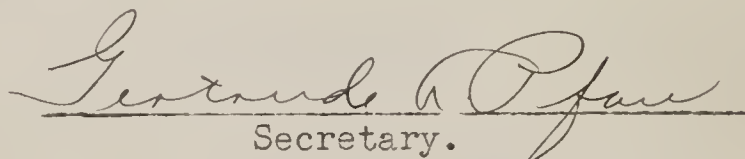
VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime for temporary employes as per copy on file in office, amounting to 763.61

At 5 o'clock P.M. this day the time for filing recount petitions for the City Election expired. Petitions for recounts in Wards 1 to 22, inclusive for the office of CITY COUNCILLOR were received in this office prior to that time.

VOTED to begin the recount in voting machine precincts on Monday, 19 November 1951 at 10 o'clock A.M. at Ward 1, Precinct 3, Public Welfare Building, 154 Maverick Street, under the supervision of Commissioner Russo; at Ward 6, Precinct 2, George Frisbie Hoar School, West Fifth Street, under the supervision of Commissioner Prout; and at Ward 20, Precinct 17, Sophia Ripley School, Temple and Keith Streets, under the supervision of Commissioners Pfau and Connors.

Notices to that effect were duly mailed to all affected candidates; also informing them that from the opening point the Board would proceed to the other voting machine precincts.

Attest:


Secretary.

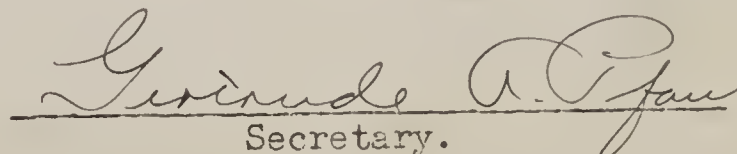
In Board

16 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

Due to the objections that have been raised regarding the examination of voting machines to be done simultaneously by three teams of Commissioners at three different points in the city (see vote of 11/13/51), it was VOTED to open the recount by the examination of voting machines in Ward 1, Precinct 3, Public Welfare Building, on Monday next, 19 November 1951. All affected candidates were so notified.

Attest:


Secretary.

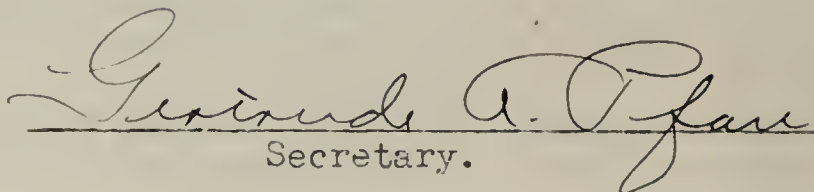
In Board

16 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau.

At meeting held this day it was voted to dismiss Joseph A. Saponaro, Provisional Assistant Registrar in the department, because of misconduct and inefficiency, effective at the close of business this day, Friday, 16 November 1951.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

20 November 1951

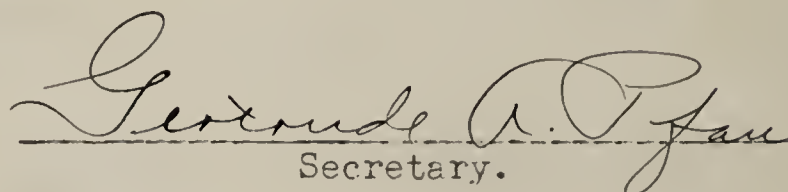
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 20 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,486.84

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 20 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 2,283.11

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering overtime due employes of other city departments who worked in excess of their regular working hours for the Election Department at the CITY ELECTION, amounting to 458.94

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

27 November 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

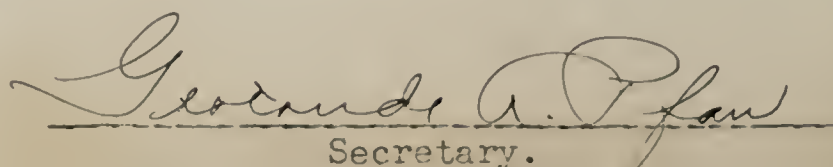
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VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 27 November 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,983.06

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Election Officers on day of CITY ELECTION, 6 November 1951, amounting to29,655.

VOTED to approve Pay Roll covering services of Custodians of Polling Places on day of CITY ELECTION, 6 November 1951, amounting to 5,832.73

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

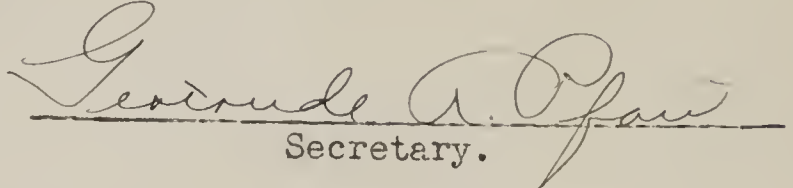
4 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 4 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,486.84

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 4 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,911.39

Attest:


Secretary.

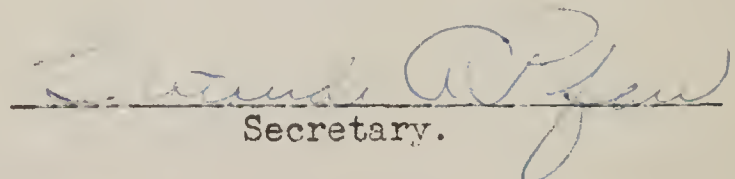
In Board

6 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

At meeting held this day the Chairman brought to the attention of the Board members present evidence showing that CHARLES J. KALELL, Provisional Assistant Registrar in the department, had in the course of his work tabulating at the recount, currently being held, deliberately taken votes away from one candidate and improperly credited them to another candidate. Said employe was discharged, effective at the close of business this day, Thursday, 6 December 1951, with the knowledge and consent of Commissioners Prout and Pfau.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

7 December 1951

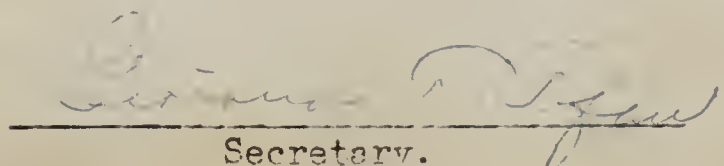
Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to transfer the registered voters in Deer Island from Ward 1, Precinct 5, to Ward 1, Precinct 12, because of accessibility to the polling location in the latter precinct. This is in compliance with request made by ^{Deer}Institutions Commissioner Edward L. Friel.

VOTED to transfer the voters from Long Island, Ward 1, Precinct 5, to Ward 16, Precinct 13, because of accessibility to the polling location in the latter precinct. This is in compliance with request made by Institutions Commissioner McGillivray.

Above changes to be effective for the Police Listing as of January 1st, 1952, and Police Listing Board so notified.

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

11 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 11 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to \$3,791.50

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 11 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,809.33

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board - 1 o'clock P.M.

12 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau.

Motion was made and seconded that we review several precincts that have been recounted for the purpose of arriving at an accurate figure in the recount of votes cast for candidates for the office of City Councillor.

In Board - 3 o'clock P.M. (All Present)

The Board has voted to rescind vote taken earlier in the day, to seal ballot boxes and to place same in departmental vault.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

13 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

The recount of ballots cast at the City Election held on Tuesday, 6 November 1951, for the office of CITY COUNCILLOR was declared completed this day. The examination of voting machines was completed on 28 November 1951. The recount of paper ballots opened on 29 November 1951 and was completed this day, 13 December 1951.

The recount effected no change in the results of the City Election as previously declared.

Attest:

Gertrude A. Pfau
Secretary.

In Board

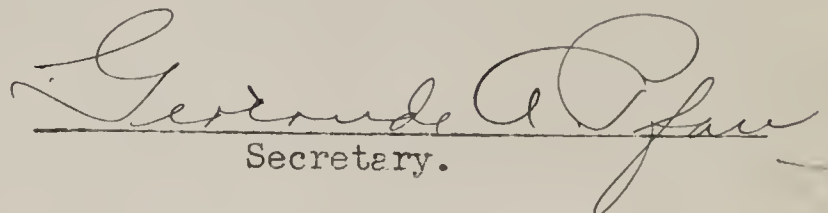
18 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 18 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,333.01

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 18 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 1,396.90

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

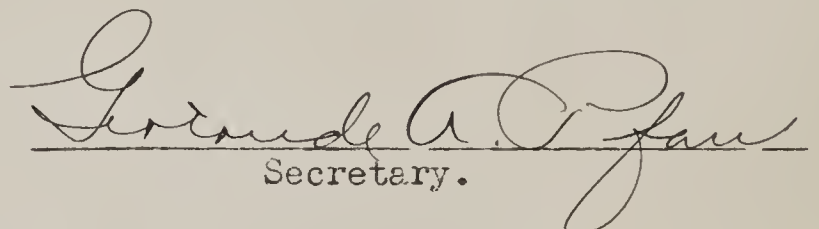
21 December 1951

Present - Commissioners Russo, Prout and Pfau

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of permanent employes, for week ending 25 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to\$3,336.08

VOTED to approve Pay Roll of temporary employes, for week ending 25 December 1951, as per copy on file in office, amounting to 864.58

Attest:


Secretary.

In Board

28 December 1951

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Permanent Employes in this office, for the week ending 1 January 1952, in accordance with copy on file, amounting to\$3,490.68*

*80% charged to 1951 appropriation\$2,792.54

*20% " " 1952 appropriation 698.14

VOTED to approve Weekly Pay Roll of Temporary Employes in this office, for the week ending 1 January 1952, in accordance with copy on file, amounting to\$ 875.17

*80% charged to 1951 appropriation\$700.14

*20% " " 1952 " 175.03

Attest:


Secretary.



